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ELLIOT—January 4, 1920, at Coolcullen, Bagnalstown, to Lieutenant A. S. Elliot, Northumberland Hussars, and Mrs. Elliot, a son.

LETT—January 13, 1920, at Rockdene, Dalkey, Valerie H. (née Stears), wife of Charles A. Lett, a daughter.

MAGUIRE—January 9, 1920, at 30 Albert rd., Sandycove, to Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Maguire, a son (who only survived his birth a few hours).

MILLER—January 5, 1920, at Aut Even Hospital, Kilkenny, the wife of late George Miller, Banville Cottage, Kilkenny, of a son.

URIE—January 10, 1920, at 16 Lindsay rd., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. David C. Urie, a son.

MARRIAGES.

CLARKE and EMERSON—December 31, 1919, at Collon Parish Church, by the Rev. Canon R. M. Pelle Freeman, William George, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke, Belle Vue, Lurgan, County Armagh, to Elizabeth (Kitty), second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson, Oriel View, Collon, County Louth.

DEMPSEY and HEARNE—January 10, 1920, at University Church, Dublin, by the Rev. J. Cahill, P.P., Captain Alexander J. Dempsey, R.A.M.C., eldest son of Sir Alexander Dempsey, M.D., Coldagh, Fortwilliam Park, Belfast, to Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hearne, Chilcomb House, New Ross.

DENNEHY and O'KEEFFE—January 8, 1920, at St. Andrew's Church, Westland Row, Dublin, by the Rev. W. Byrne S.J. (cousin of the bride), assisted by the Rev. W. Farrell, C.C., Frederick Charles, third son of Dr. and Mrs. P. R. Dennehy, Heathview, Lismore, to Mary Christina, eldest daughter of the late Ignatius O'Keeffe, and of Mrs. O'Keeffe, 39 Lower Baggot st., Dublin.

KINCH and FRASER—November 15, 1919, at St. John's Church, Toorak, Victoria, Australia, by the Rev. A. Law, Edward William, younger son of the late John and Mary Kinch, Arklow, County Wicklow, to Louise, younger daughter of Mrs. Fraser and the late Alexander Fraser, Aspendale, Victoria, Australia.

O'CONNOR and KEANE—January 5, 1920, at St. John's, Waterford, by the Reverend Martin Dooley, Adm., Lieutenant-Commander W. H. O'Connor, R.N.R., son of the late Captain O'Connor, and of Mrs. O'Connor, Summerhill, Waterford, to Bride, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Everard Keane, John's Hill, Waterford.

O'DONOVAN and PURCELL—January 7, 1920, at the Church of Our Lady of Refuge, Rathmines, by the Rev. F. E. O'Loughlin, C.C., Simon, youngest son of the late John and Mrs. O'Donovan, 33 Mary st., Cork, to Nancy, eldest daughter of Christopher and Mrs. Purcell, 6 Clifton tce., Ranelagh rd., Dublin.

DEATHS.

BOYD—January 12, 1920, at 66 Merrion square, Dublin, Annie C., widow of the late Right Hon. Sir Walter Boyd, Bart., aged 77 years. Funeral private. No flowers.

CHAPMAN—On Monday night, January 12, 1920, at the residence of her son-in-law, 7 Victoria tce., Terenure rd., Rathgar, Agnes Sclanders, widow of the late George Chapman, of Edinburgh. Funeral private.
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CRAIG—January 11, 1920, at Monkmoors, Eskmeals, Cumberland, Alan N. W. Craig, Superintendent of Messrs. Vickers' Gun Range, Eskmeals, youngest surviving son of the late Very Rev. Graham Craig, Dean of Clonmacnois. Funeral at Eskmeals to-day (Wednesday), 14th instant, at 11.30 a.m.

GOLDING—January 10, 1920, at Innishannon Rectory, Eleanor, younger daughter of Rev. Edward A. Golding.

GOVERN—January 12, 1920, at his residence, Chamberstown, Rathkenny, Christopher Govern. R.I.P. Office and High Mass in Rathkenny Church to-day (Wednesday) at 11 o'clock. Funeral from Church at 2 o'clock.

LYNCH—January 13, 1920, at her residence, 28 Effra rd., Rathmines, Mary Helen, widow of the late William McCarthy Lynch, Registry of Deeds. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P. Funeral private.

McQUEEN—January 13, 1920, at residence of her son-in-law, 6 Arranmore av., Phibsborough, Janet Crozier, widow of the late Robert McQueen. Funeral private.

MAGAHY—January 12, 1920, at the Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, Mabel Isabella, younger daughter of the late Robert Magahy, and Mrs. Magahy, The Mall, Lucan. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), at 2.30 p.m., from Lucan Church.

MAHER—January 13, 1920, at his residence, Headfort Arms Hotel, Kells, Co. Meath, Peter J., beloved husband of Alice Maher. R.I.P. Office and High Mass to-morrow (Thursday), 11.30 o'clock. Funeral from Church to New Cemetery at 2 o'clock.

MITCHELL—January 12, 1920, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Edith Mary, youngest daughter of the late Henry Mitchell, formerly of Drumcondra, Co. Monaghan, and Mrs. Mitchell, late of 18 Ailesbury rd., Dublin. Funeral private. No flowers.

MOLLOY—January 12, 1920, at Clonbeale, Birr, Lawrence Bumford Molloy. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), at 11 o'clock, from Clonbeale.

NICHOLS—January 7, 1920, in Dublin, suddenly, Joseph James, beloved husband of Louisa Nichols, The Cottage, Belmont, King's County, and second son of the late William Nichols, of Lorraine House, Weldon, Northants.

TUITE—January 12, 1920, at his residence, Cavan st., Oldcastle, Co. Meath, James Tuite, aged 77 years. R.I.P. Requiem Office and Mass in Oliver Plunkett's Memorial Church to-day (Wednesday), 14th, at 11 o'clock. Funeral to New Cemetery at 2 o'clock. No flowers. American and Australian papers please copy.

TYRRELL—December 18, 1919, lost at sea, Captain John Tyrrell (Arklow), of the steamship Theory. Funeral to New Kilbride Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday) morning, January 15th, from Arklow Station, at 11 o'clock.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The family of the late **Thomas Mahon**, of Valleymount, Blessington, Co. Wicklow, return their most sincere thanks for the many kind messages of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement.

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EDWARD VALENTINE BROWNE, late of Claran Park, Headford, County Galway, Landed Proprietor, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons having any claims as creditors or otherwise against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died at Claran Park, Headford, County Galway, on the 9th November, 1919, are hereby required, on or before the 24th January, 1920, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for Mary Cruice, the Executrix of said Deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 9th day of January, 1920, forth of the Tuam District Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland. And Notice is hereby also given that after the 24th day of February, 1920, the said Executrix will distribute the said estate of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as hereby required.
Dated this 10th day of January, 1920.
EDWIN M. LLOYD, Solicitor for said Executrix, 13 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN IRELAND. KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
AMELIA KEHOE (otherwise THOMPSON), of 90 South Circular road, in the City of Dublin, Lodging-house Keeper, a Bankrupt.
A Public Sitting in this Matter will be held before the Chief Clerk, at the Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin, on Friday, the 30th day of January, 1920, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, forenoon, for the proof and admission of debts and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.
A Creditor may prove his debt at the sitting, or send his Affidavit of Debt in the prescribed form, or his detailed account to the undernamed Official Assignee, four days previously to the Sitting in order to have the same admitted.
Dated this 12th day of January, 1920.
C. B. CLARKE, Deputy Registrar.
ALFRED G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin.
MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Solicitors for the Assignees, 18 Eustace street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Estate of
JOHN MARTIN, late of Effoldstown, Lusk, in the County of Dublin, Farmer, Deceased.
All persons having any claims or demands against the estate or effects of the above Deceased, who died 3rd day of January, 1920, are hereby required forthwith to furnish particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix.
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SPADE Trade—Wanted, a first class Workman to plate backs or lops.—Mr. Griffin, Clonskeagh Iron Mills, Co. Dublin. C

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SHORTHAND Typist—Wanted, Typist for Provincial Drapery office; capable junior might suit; Protestant. Apply, with copies of references, stating salary expected, to "Z 4581, Typist," this office. E

SMART Lad Wanted for Parcels Delivery; recommended. Apply 26 Stephen's green.

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WANTED, for country town, South, Milliner and Sales, also Saleswoman for General Drapery; Protestant. Apply, stating salary expected, indoor, and sending copies of references, "Z 4415, Milliner," this office.

WANTED, Useful Help who understands house parlour work, good needlewoman and ironer; uniform; country.—"Z 4427, Useful Help," this office.

WANTED, two Junior Clerks for City Office; must be respectable, well educated, and with good credentials.—M 1817, this office. C

WANTED, first class Manager for the Tyrone Central Co-Operative Society, Omagh; requires to understand grocery, provisions, hardware, seeds, and manures; married man to live on premises preferred. Apply, stating salary expected, with copies of testimonials, to James J. Kyle, Secretary (pro tem.), 2 John street, Omagh. C

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WANTED for Stockbroker's Office in provincial town, a Clerk, with good knowledge of bookkeeping and office routine work; must be of good address. Apply, with copies of testimonials, to "Z 4451, Clerk," this office.

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WANTED, smart Boy for city Restaurant. Apply today, 4 o'clock, 1 Temple lane. C

WAITRESS Wanted, 12 to 4 daily, city club.—M 1905, this office. E

WANTED, a Setter Out for first class Joinery; must be thoroughly reliable; good salary.—M 1924, this office. C

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WANTED immediately, young Mother's Help or Nurse Housemaid; care two children, do light housework.—"D.," c/o Wilde, Bray.

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WANTED, experienced Shorthand Writer and Typist for Merchants' Office in city; must be quick and accurate; state salary, age, etc., and give copies of testimonials.—N 72, this office. D

WOOLLENS and Readymades—Wanted, Assistant to take charge of Department in extreme South; Protestant. Apply, with copies of references, stating age, religion, and salary expected (indoor), to "Z 4580, Assistant," this office.

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WANTED on 28th young Lady Help (Gentlewoman), assist in housekeeping and house; must understand cooking; salary £30.—200, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

WANTED experienced Girl for Cooked Meat Store; must be first class carver; good wages, dinner and tea; copies references required.—N 153, this office. D

YOUNG Lady Assistant Wanted for Hardware and Chandlery Stores; must have experience.—49 Talbot st. E

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WANTED, Junior Typist; neat worker; good handwriting; accurate at figures. Apply Lett and Fetherstonhaugh, 23 Ely place.

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

ASSISTANT Manageress, six years' experience, wishes to hear of Vacancy in first class Hotel; would assist in bar and housework; excellent references.—M 1692, this office. C

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A YOUNG Lady, R.C., desires post as Companion Help; highest references.—"Z 4460, Help," this office. D

AUTHORS' MSS., English, French, Typed, 1/- per 1,000 words.—N 22, this office. C

A SUPERIOR Protestant Lady wishes position school or institution, where she has held similar post; excellent references. All particulars from Matron, Irish Times Registry.

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BOY of 18 wishes to hear of vacancy in a Stores; can be well recommended.—W 99, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

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CONFECTIONERY—Young Lady wishes to go as Apprentice to above (indoor); substantial fee to suitable firm.—M 1922, this office. E

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EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

DAILY Help, respectable young Woman, disengaged; all duties; Pembroke; lady's reference.—N 77, this office.

EXPERIENCED Shorthand Typist desires position.—M 1573, this office. C

EX-SERGEANT R.I.C. wishes situation as Timekeeper, etc., or any Position of Trust; highest references.—M 1915, this office. F

EMPLOYMENT Wanted by Retired Officer of long service; recently held responsible post, now terminated.—"Z 4517, Officer," this office. C

EXPERT Lady Typist wants employment few hours daily.—N 21, this office. E

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GENERAL Drapery and Boots—Lady having nine years' experience, would take Charge in a good house; excellent references.—"Z 4474, Drapery," this office. B

GIRL (16) seeks post, Junior Shorthand Typist; speed 100; wages expected 14/- weekly.—210, Irish Times Office, Blackrock. C

GRADUATE Nurse as Companion to invalid or semi-invalid; highest reference.—N 115, this office. F

GENTLEWOMAN (Protestant) wishes position as Lady Housekeeper; experienced; knowledge of nursing; excellent references; thirteen years' testimonial.—M 1907, this office.

GENTLEWOMAN, I.C., desires post Useful Companion Help; capable, good cook; Dublin or suburbs preferred; good references.—"Z 4599, Gentlewoman," this office. D

HAIRDRESSING—Ex-Soldier, 22, I.C., smart appearance, wishes training in all its branches, city or large town; outdoor (conditional); references exchanged.—"Z 4554, Hairdressing," this office. E

HOUSEKEEPER, understands her duties in farmer's place, would like respectable place; state wages.—"Z 4597, Housekeeper," this office. F

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POST Office Clerk (Irish), at present in London, desires Irish office; good knowledge counter, telephone, and telegraphy.—S., 200 High st., Deptford, London. F

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RESPECTABLE young Man, R.C., 21, having served some time, leaving the business of Grocery and Hardware, wishes position in provincial town, a paid apprentice to complete his training to the business; small salary accepted; security given.—"Z 4502, Assistant," this office. D

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SHORTHAND Typist, with knowledge of Bookkeeping, desires position; previous experience.—N 73, this office.

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VANMAN seeks situation; first class reference; good knowledge of city and county.—N 117, this office. F

WATCHMAN or Timekeeper wants situation; used to lighting fires; references. Apply to "Z 4450, Watchman," this office. D

WIDOW (gentlewoman) with little boy desires position as Housekeeper to one gentleman or lady (Dublin suburbs); excellent cook, absolutely trustworthy; or would take Apartments in return for services; highest references.—N 10, this office.

YOUNG Lady Junior Shorthand Typist, 1st class certificates, desires position in City Office.—182, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. C

YOUNG Girl, leaving school, wishes for employment in Office; good scholar.—Davis, 44 Eccles st. D

YOUNG Lady, presently engaged, wishes to hear of vacancy in Underclothing Department (indoor); country town or North preferred; 3½ years' experience.—H 860, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. D

YOUNG Lady seeks position of Companion or domesticated Help; experienced; good references.—M 1827, this office. D

YOUNG Girl desires position as Shorthand Typist, experienced.—M 1892, this office. D

YOUNG Lady wishes to hear of vacancy in high class Confectionery or Grocery; one year's good experience; city or suburbs. Apply 208, Irish Times Office, Blackrock. D

YOUNG Lady wishes position, Waitress, restaurant or tea rooms.—"Z 4524, Lady," this office. E

YOUNG Lady seeks position as Junior Clerk or Assistant Bookkeeper.—M 1860, this office. D

YOUNG Man, Protestant, six years' experience Grocery Business, desires Change; good reference.—N 61, this office. F

YOUNG Girl as Carver in a Restaurant; city; excellent references; good knowledge of table.—M 1968, this office. C

YOUNG Widow desires situation as Housekeeper, business house; Protestant.—M 1777, this office. C

YOUNG Lady desires position as Bookkeeper or Shorthand Typist; 15 months' experience; highest references.—N 105, this office. F

YOUNG Lady, experienced, desires position as Help Companion; children no objection.—"Z 4558, Companion," this office. D

YOUNG Lady, R.C., 3½ years' experience in Grocery and General Business, desires change; good references; state salary given.—"Z 4578, Lady," this office.

YOUNG Lady seeks position as Shorthand Typist; one year's experience; good testimonials.—211, Irish Times Office, Blackrock. F

YOUNG Lady, with nine years' experience high class Fruit and Confectionery, capable of taking full charge, desires to hear of vacancy; excellent references.—Y 94, this office. C

YOUNG Lady attending College with afternoons free, would act as Companion, help in house duties, or teach in return for Board and Residence.—"Z 4603, Companion," this office.

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DISENGAGED AND WANTED.

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MALES WANTED.

COFFEE Room Waiter Wanted. Apply, with testimonials, Manager, Gresham Hotel. C

EXPERIENCED Man Wanted to help run Dublin Tillage Farm; part payment on results; security required; send copies papers and full particulars.—N 174, this office. D

GARDENER Wanted, married; Protestant; please send all particulars.—R. Grove Annesley, Annes Grove, Castletownroche, Co. Cork. X

GENERAL Man Wanted beginning of February; plain cooking, milk two cows, mind pony and trap.—Martin, Roebuck Grove, Clonskeagh. D

GROOM Wanted (Protestant preferred); able to milk, ride exercise; wages 15/- (live in).—M 1936, this office. C

GOOD Working Gardener required; must understand roses, tomatoes, pruning. Send copies.—Jackson, Maudlins, Naas.

GARDENER Wanted, single handed, thorough knowledge of his work, able to milk, with working Son, for Co. Kildare. Send copies references and wages expected (free house), "Z 4613, Gardener," this office. C

LAND Steward (Protestant), capable man, to manage 500 acre farm; must thoroughly understand all branches of farming.—"Steward," c/o R. and J. Wilkinson, 40 Prussia st. E

REQUIRED, for Co. Cavan, Farm Foreman, energetic and capable young man; must have good knowledge of all farming work, and be able to take charge of men; I.C.—"Z 4373, Foreman," this office. C

RABBIT Trapper Wanted, experienced man, 1/- per couple, gear supplied. Apply O'Toole, Woodbrook, Portarlington.

RABBIT Catcher Wanted; supply own nets, ferrets, etc.; catch 1,000 rabbits alive for restocking purposes; Louth, Meath, Westmeath, Kildare; weekly or couple terms. Apply Johnston Cooney, Slane Castle Estate, Co. Meath. D

STRONG Boy Wanted; generally useful; horse, garden, light farm work; £18-£24.—"Z 4570, Boy," this office.

TRUSTWORTHY Man Wanted, Caretaker and general work, large demesne; I.C.; send copy references.—"Z 4606, Man," this office. D

WANTED, Groom Coachman for County Limerick; one with knowledge brood mares and foals preferred; single, live in; please state age, religion, wages expected, send copies discharges.—"Z 4562, Groom," this office.

WANTED, Under Keeper; wages 30/- per week, house and firing; knowledge of duck preferred. Apply C. Parkinson, Estates Office, Ballyfinch, Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny. A

WANTED, good Stableman, able to ride exercise; not over 10st.; wages 15/-, live in, and £2 per winner.—"Z 4404, Stableman," this office. C

WANTED, Head Ploughman (non Union), with son able or willing to learn Tractor Driving; good terms to suitable man. Apply, with full particulars, copy discharges, Corbally, Donacea, Kilcock. 8 10

WANTED, Protestant Youth as Improver for the Houses, under foreman. Apply; full particulars, and wages, bothy and vegetables, to Gardener, Glenart Gardens, Arklow, Co. Wicklow. F

WANTED, Discharged Soldier and Wife as Domestic Servants for ex-officer and lady; state wages.—M 1702, this office. C

WANTED, trustworthy General Man, understanding care of cattle and sheep; must be well recommended.—M 1701, this office. D

WANTED, a good strong Boy or Man for country place; good milker, understand cattle, horses, etc., etc. Apply, enclosing copies of references, "Z 4462, Boy," this office. C

WANTED Gardener, for Co. Louth; R.C.; must be active and understand vines and outdoor fruits.—"Z 4463, Gardener," this office. C

WANTED, married General Man or Coachman; ride, drive, care horses and motors; ex-cavalryman might suit; sober and trustworthy; country place; state family, wages, with house, etc.—Minchin, Doory, Tashinny, Longford. D

WANTED, Butler, Protestant, single; well recommended.—R. Longfield, Longueville, Mallow, Co. Cork. D

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WANTED, good steady Girl or Woman, general household help; some washing; Protestant preferred; wages £12 to £15.—B O 424, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

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COOK and House Parlourmaid Wanted immediately; £28 each; country place.—Martin, Roebuck Grove, Clonskeagh. D

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CAPABLE, active Protestant Cook Housekeeper Wanted, end of January, for Blessington, Co. Wicklow; servant kept. Apply, this week, 10 to 12 or 1 o'clock or after 7 o'clock, to Taylor, 47 Merrion square. C

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COOK Wanted; good plain; four in family; four servants; send copies discharges, wages expected, Mrs. Deane, Nenagh.

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WANTED, end January, young Cook General and House Parlourmaid, doctor's house, Dublin.—M 1661, this office.

WANTED, Cook General, Housemaid Waitress; good wages; no washing.—I Green Lane, Allerton road, Liverpool.

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WANTED, Cook General, Dublin, small family; £26.—M 1807, this office.

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WANTED Cook General, and General as House Parlourmaid; £25-£22. Apply 2 Arkendale road, Kingstown.

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WANTED, Cook General; small family; wages £20, £25; send papers.—Ward, Red Lodge, Newnham, Daventry, England.

WANTED, Good Cook General, immediately, Warwick; family three, Irish; good help; £40; highly recommended.—N 91, this office. C

WANTED, in February, young Plain Cook for country; experienced kitchenmaid might suit.—"Z 4561, Cook," this office.

WANTED, superior Cook General, Blackrock, for cooking and laundry work; no other maid kept; no bedroom work; very compact house; no basement; 5 minutes' walk from train and tram; state wages.—M 1735, this office.

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A TRUSTWORTHY, capable General Wanted for Newbridge, good plain cook; good wages to suitable girl.—"Z 4488, General," this office. C

A RELIABLE Woman as General Wanted for Hull, three children; good wages to suitable girl.—M 1931, this office. C

A SUPERIOR General Wanted; no washing; good wages; small family. Send full particulars, 4 Belgrave road, Monkstown. C

A NICE—Good young General, £25.—192, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. C

A PLAIN, respectable country Woman or Girl, small house, two people, town, Meath; strict cleanliness essential; wages £18.—"Z 4537, Woman," this office. D

A GOOD General Wanted; wash, milk cow; £20.—"Auburn," Howth road, Clontarf. C

AN experienced General Wanted; good cook; good wages; Kenilworth square.—R O 438, Irish Times Office, Rathmines. F

A SMART young General required, Kingstown, four in family; £18-£20; good outings.—K 9, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

A YOUNG General Wanted; three in family; plain cooking, small washing; good outing; help given; £24, rising.—Y 90, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

DALKEY—Wanted, young General; must be nice cook; small family; high wages.—N 152, this office.

EXPERIENCED young General Servant Wanted; wages £18. Apply 27 Hollybrook road, Clontarf. C

EXPERIENCED General Wanted on January 26th; small family; wages £24. Apply any evening after 7, at 15 Herbert road, Dublin. D

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; good plain cook; other maid kept. Interview, before 2 and after 7 o'clock, 10 St. Kevin's Park, Dartry road. D

EXPERIENCED General Servant Wanted; no washing; wages £24.—11 Effra road, Rathmines.

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GENERAL Wanted; small family; plain cooking; good outings; South suburbs.—M 1884, this office. D

GENERAL Wanted, tidy young woman, plain cook; R.C.—1 Cliff terrace, Sandycove. D

GOOD young General, for family 2, Monkstown; R.C.; good cook; no washing; second maid kept; £24 to £30. Send copies N 65, this office. C

GENERAL Servant Wanted, family three; would train; £12-£16; country.—"Z 4569, General," this office. D

GENERAL Servant Wanted; clean, tidy; some experience; three in family.—114 Donore terrace, South Circular road.

GENERAL Wanted, quiet country place; good plain cook; small family.—Mrs. Brien, Lanestown, Donabate.

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STRONG young General Wanted; washing; early riser; training.—50 Brighton road, Rathgar.

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WANTED, superior class General, very good cook; particular about keeping house nicely; £25; country; no rough work.—"Z 4429, General," this office. C

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WANTED, General Servant, Leeson Park; no children; high wages.—"Z 4510, General," this office. C

WANTED, young General, plain cooking, some washing; three in family; early riser; one partly trained might suit.—M 1458, this office.

WANTED, superior young General; £24. Apply Ivanhoe, Palmerston road, after 5 o'clock. C

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WANTED, good General; small washing; family four. Call 3 Church avenue, Rathmines, Wednesday, Thursday. C

WANTED, respectable Girl as General. Address, with references, Mrs. Owens, Castledermot, Co. Kildare. D

WANTED, General, for Manchester district; fare paid; small family adults; no washing; wages £26; reference. Apply Mrs. Swett, Lyndhurst, Gatley, Cheshire. E

WANTED, experienced General, Protestant; wages £25 to £30; two in family; Monkstown.—N 118, this office. C

WANTED, experienced General, small family; good wages. Apply 24 Leeson Park.

WANTED, young Woman (age 17 to 19) to do General Work in house where cook kept; family two or three; wages £18; good references necessary. Apply Hawkins, 20 Pembroke Gardens, Kensington, London.

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WANTED, February 1st, for town, Co. Tyrone, good General; R.C.; able to cook, bake, and wait at table; no washing or upstairs work; must have good references; comfortable home. Apply, with reference, and state wages, "Z 4583, General," this office. D

WANTED, General; good wages to suitable person.—N 150, this office. D

WANTED, young General, early riser, for family three; small washing; well recommended.—51 Brighton road, Rathgar, 11 to 12.30, 3-5.

WANTED, General Servant; good plain cook; well recommended; wages £20. Apply 1 Brighton terrace, Monkstown. D

WANTED on 28th, for one lady, experienced young General; good plain cook, small washing; help given; city; must be well recommended; wages £18.—201, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. E

YOUNG General Wanted, small family; well recommended.—78 Wellington road. C

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

A YOUNG Country Girl Wanted to train as Housemaid, small private family; state wages.—M 1859, this office. D

CAN any Lady recommend experienced House Parlourmaid? city; good wages.—M 1456, this office. D

CAPABLE House Parlourmaid Wanted; also Housemaid; Protestants; good wages if well recommended. Send copies and particulars, Mrs. Phibbs, Lisheen, Sligo. E

CAN a lady recommend Protestant Head Housemaid of two; wages £40; please answer.—"Z 4576, Maid," this office. E

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, small country house; three in family. Apply, with copy discharges, to Cooper, Birchgrove, Wexford. C

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, for Leeson Park vicinity; send copy papers, state salary.—"Z 4595, Maid," this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Required, first week February, for Westmeath; nice appearance essential; early riser, able to valet, and care silver and lamps. Apply, stating age, wages, and religion, Lady Nugent, 10 Lower Fitzwilliam st., Dublin.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted immediately. Apply Matron, Morehampton House School, Donnybrook. X

HOUSEMAID required.—Ross's Hotel, Parkgate st.

HOUSE Parlourmaid, young, some experience, Wanted, 18 Clarinda Park, East, Kingstown.

PARLOURMAID Wanted; wages £24 to £28; send copies discharges.—Wade, Carrowmore, Ballinasloe. C

SUPERIOR House Parlourmaid and Cook General Wanted, for London, immediately; small family; good home and outings; wages from £30 and £36 respectively; interview Dublin.—"Z 4513, Domestics," this office.

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WANTED, House Parlourmaid, country place; good wages. Send copies of discharges to Mrs. Brasier-Creagh, Streamhill, Doneraile, Co. Cork. D

WANTED, young Housemaid for five weeks; sleep out.—O'Reilly, R.M., Navan. C

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WANTED, House Parlourmaid for country. State wages and send discharges to Mrs. Donovan, Ballymore, Camolin, Co. Wexford. D

WANTED immediately, for Ailesbury road, superior Girl as Housemaid; sewing.—N 88, this office. D

WANTED, House Parlourmaid; send discharges, full particulars, age, wages.—Lady Granard, Scribblestown, Castleknock, Dublin. D

WANTED, First Class Housemaid, Protestant, head of two, for County Monaghan; good wages.—"Z 4566, Maid," this office. E

WANTED, Parlourmaid, Protestant, for Co. Dublin, three in family; five maids kept. Address Box 51, Eason's Advertising Agency, Sackville st., Dublin.

WANTED, Housemaid Waitress for Commercial Hotel, Lonchren; send copies and age. D

WANTED, for country, Co. Cork, Housemaid; comfortable place; wages £20. Apply by letter, with copies discharges, 133, Irish Times Office, Cork. D

WANTED immediately, good House Parlourmaid; housemaid kept; country.—D., Knockline, Bray. E

WANTED, a Parlourmaid, small household; three maids kept; state wages and send papers.—Mrs. Maxwell, Kenmare, Co. Kerry. X

WANTED for country, an experienced House Parlourmaid; housemaid kept; must be well recommended; state wages required and all particulars.—Mrs. R. M. Goodbody, Woodfield, Clara, King's County. E

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LADY Nurse or Nursery Governess Wanted for two girls, aged 2 and 4.—Mrs. Johnson, C.O.'s House, the Barracks, Naas, Co. Kildare. E

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NURSE Housemaid Wanted for two young children.—K., 21 Burdett avenue, Kingstown. E

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WANTED, for Dublin, in March, a thoroughly experienced Nurse for baby of 10 months old, another later for infant from the month; wages £30 to £35.—"Z 4532, Nurse," this office. C

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WANTED, respectable young Girl, I.C., to help with baby; good home; country.—"Z 4567, Girl," this office. E

WANTED at once, respectable young Protestant Nurse for two children, England, end of February; good wages. Apply at 11 o'clock or 3, to 31 Fitzwilliam place. D

YOUNG Nurse or Help Wanted, baby 9 months, boy 2; good wages.—R O 430, Irish Times Office, Rathmines. D

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

KITCHENMAID Wanted immediately for the country. Apply, with copies of discharge, to Mrs. Ludlow, Beechmount, Ashgrove, Queenstown, Co. Cork. D

KITCHENMAID Wanted.—Hotel Allen, Harcourt st. C

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WANTED, Laundress, singlehanded. Apply "Z 4433, Laundress," this office. C

WANTED at once, Kitchenmaid, for Mountjoy School, Dublin. Send particulars to the Matron. C

WANTED at once, Kitchenmaid; good wages; country girl preferred. Address Bently, Monkstown Park, Monkstown, Co. Dublin. C

WANTED for gentleman's place, Co. Louth, singlehanded Laundress and Dairymaid; Protestant preferred; if married, husband might be employed also.—"Z 4600, Laundress," this office. E

WANTED, Second and Third Laundrymaids; wages £30 and £28 and board wages; cottage laundry. Reply, enclosing copy of discharges, to Countess of Granard, Newtown Forbes, Co. Longford. X

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A GENTLEMAN, who is giving up his place, is anxious to procure a position for Working Housekeeper, who is perfectly sober, honest, and trustworthy; good butter maker and understands fowl; R.C.; Dublin or county preferred.—M 1899, this office. D

DOMESTIC Help—Situation desired for useful, pleasant, superior Girl, where may bring healthy baby boy; accessible to Dublin preferred.—Mrs. R., 61 Rathmines avenue.—M 1838, this office. C

EXPERIENCED Useful Sewingmaid wishes situation; four years last place; wages £28; Dublin preferred.—"Z 4594, Maid," this office. C

RESPECTABLE Girl, 17, not out before, wishes to be trained in gentleman's house; state terms.—"Z 4563, Girl," this office.

SEWINGMAID disengaged; would help wait dinner if required.—N 81, this office. D

WORKING Housekeeper disengaged; highly recommended; trustworthy.—W., 133 Lower George's st., Kingstown.

YOUNG country Girl wishes training light Housework where another maid kept; city preferred.—M 1975, this office. C

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

A GOOD young Cook disengaged; recommended; would go to England. Apply Mrs. Hogan, Registry, Waterford.

A VERY Good Cook disengaged; cakes, bread; good discharges.—N 83, this office.

AN experienced Cook General or General wishes situation; can be well recommended.—N 179, this office.

COOK (Excellent) wishes situation where Kitchenmaid is kept; undertake dairy; highly recommended. Address Cook, Ramsfort, Gorey. E

COOK, in officers' mess, hotel, or club; highest references.—N 14, this office. C

COOK Housekeeper (Protestant) wishes post, one or two gentlemen; suburbs.—C. H., Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

COOK Housekeeper; good plain cook; business house; city, country; good references.—M 1461, this office. D

COOK, or Cook Housekeeper, to lady or gentleman; careful manager; Kingstown or Monkstown preferred.—B., Noone's Agency, Kingstown.

COOK, disengaged, seeks situation; highly recommended.—212 Irish Times Office, Blackrock.

EXCELLENT Plain Cook wishes post daily from 9 to 6; good business house preferred; highest reference.—N 33, this office. C

FIRST Class Cook wants a situation in Meath, job or permanent; highest recommendations.—"Z 4261, Cook," this office. D

GOOD Cook General disengaged; highly recommended.—"Z 4522, Cook," this office. E

GOOD Plain Cook or Cook General, small family; recommended.—M 1975, this office. D

GOOD Plain Cook wishes situation as above; has good discharges; will be well recommended. Apply M. Boggan, 8 Sackville place, City.

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TUITIONS CONTINUED.

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WANTED, from 1st February, within 5 miles of city, Unfurnished House, 7 to 8 rooms, in own grounds; rent about £100 and taxes.—"House," care 134 Lower Baggot st.

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FOUR fine Rooms, nicely decorated, to Let, unfurnished; h. and c. bath, etc.; Pembroke Township, convenient to town; rent £7 monthly. Apply M 1996, this office.

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TO Let, Upper Fitzwilliam st., large Bedroom and Sittingroom, hot bath, full board, telephone, electric light £3 3/- per week; no ladies.—M 1952 this office. D

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FLAT, Unfurnished, Wanted immediately; four rooms; terms.—M 1889, this office. C

FURNISHED Apartments Wanted, Sitting and one or two Bedrooms; Rathgar neighbourhood preferred.—N 39, this office.

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GENTLEMAN (elderly) desires Board and Lodgings, moderate, with respectable person, city, suburbs, or country within easy distance of city; would be useful about place in country.—"Z 4598, Lodgings," this office.

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TWO young Ladies desire Accommodation, including full use Sittingroom; Protestant house.—N 63, this office. E

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UNFURNISHED—Wanted, one or two Rooms, with gas cooker.—N 142, this office.

WANTED, in February, by gentleman and wife, comfortably Furnished Flat, with bath.—"Z 4350, Flat," this office. B

WANTED, February, March, or April, self-contained Flat; one reception, three bedrooms, bathroom, etc., kitchen, etc.; long period; unfurnished; Dublin.—"Z 4419, Flat," this office. E

WANTED immediately, Rathmines vicinity, full Board, Bedroom, for two students; state terms.—"Z 4446, Apartments," this office. C

WANTED in city or suburbs, Furnished Flat or small House; state full particulars.—"Z 4526, Flat," this office. D

WANTED, in central position, small Furnished Flat or Rooms.—N 23, this office. D

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WANTED, Bedroom and Sittingroom (breakfast only) by young man, Pembroke district; or small Flat with cooker; state terms, inclusive, and accommodation.—N 164, this office.

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WAR OFFICE, JANUARY 10TH, 1920.

REGULAR FORCES.—Commands and Staff—The undermentioned relinquish their appointments:—Staff Capts.—Capt. A. C. S. Palin, Leinster Regt. And relinquishes the temporary rank of Capt.—Lt. J. G. Fitzmaurice, M.C., Ryl. Munster Fusiliers. Headquarters of Admin. Services and Depts.—Chief Signal officer (Cl. T)—Bt. Lt.-Col. H. T. G. Moore, C.M.G., D.S.O., R.E., and relinquishes the temporary rank of Colonel. The undermentioned appointment is made:—Attached to Headquarter Units—Dep. Asst. Provost-Marshal (Cl. GG)—Lt. L. G. Daish, Ryl. Inniskilling Fusiliers, and to be temporary Capt. whilst so employed.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.—R.G.A.—Lt. A. Cassidy retires on retired pay; Lt. T. G. D. Dixon resigns his commission; Lt. M. Hamill, M.C., retires, receiving a gratuity.

INFANTRY.—Ryl. Irish Regt.—Lt. J. A. Campbell retires, receiving a gratuity. Ryl. Irish Rifles—Capt. W. F. How retires, receiving a gratuity. The undermentioned are restored to the establishment:—Ryl. Inniskilling Fusiliers—Capt. M. F. Hammond-Smith, M.C.; Capt. S. B. Duffin, Capt. T. H. Cockburn-Mercer, Capt. and Bt. Major C. A. M. Alexander, M.C.; Capt. R. M. Vaughan, M.C.; Capt. and Bt. Maj. H. A. Allen, D.S.O.; Capt. F. H. H. S. Verschoyle, Lt. A. R. Moxey, M.C.; Lt. G. E. Framingham, M.C.; Lt. T. Maguire, M.C.

CORPS OF MILITARY ACCOUNTANTS.—The undermentioned, from temporary Accountant Officer, 6th Class, to be temporary Accountant Officer, 5th Class:—Major S. C. E. Costigane, R.F.A., T.F.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.—RESERVE UNITS.—The undermentioned 2nd Lt. to be Lt.:—4th Ryl. Irish Regt.—J. L. Charlesworth.

REGULAR FORCES.—Infantry. Service Battalions—Ryl. Irish Regt.—Temporary Lt.-Col. G. W. Hawkes, D.S.O., M.C., relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.-Col. Ryl. Irish Rifles—Temporary Capt. C. A. Ogier, M.C. (Lt. 3rd Bn. R. Mila., I. of Jersey), relinquishes his temporary commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Capt.; temporary Lt. H. O. McKee relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and is granted the rank of Capt.; temporary Lt. F. N. Cullen relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.; temporary Lt. W. J. McDowell, M.C., relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.; temporary Lt. W. R. D. Cantley relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.; temporary Lt. W. Clarke relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.; temporary Lt. J. S. McMaster relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt.; temporary 2nd Lt. H. D. Mitchell to be temporary Lt., with precedence next above G. Foy; temporary 2nd Lt. W. G. Chater relinquishes his commission; temporary 2nd Lt. J. Millar relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of 2nd Lt. Ryl. Irish Fusiliers—Temporary Capt. B. St. J. Galvin relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Capt.; temporary Lt. J. H. Conolly relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Lt. Leinster Regt.—Temporary Capt. E. W. Moran relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Capt. Ryl. Dublin Fusiliers—Temporary Capt. N. Hurst, M.C., is seconded on appointment as probationer Indian Army in the rank of temporary Lt. Garrison Battalions—Ryl. Irish Rifles—1st Garrison Bn.—Temporary Capt. W. D. Ryall relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of Capt.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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Application, IN WRITING, should be made, in the case of persons resident in the Dublin Metropolitan Police area, to the Chief Commissioner, Dublin Metropolitan Police, Dublin Castle; and in the case of persons resident in the County of Dublin, or in the County or City of Cork, to the County Inspector, Royal Irish Constabulary, concerned.

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LOCAL MARINE BOARD, PORT OF DUBLIN.
ELECTION OF MEMBERS, 1920.

The Lord Mayor of the City of Dublin hereby gives notice that the Triennial Election of Six Members to the Local Marine Board of the Port of Dublin, pursuant to the provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," will take place in the Members' Room, City Hall, Dublin, on MONDAY, the 26th JANUARY instant, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., where and when all persons whose names appear on the Revised List of Voters then in force may record their vote or votes for any one or more persons, not exceeding six, to be members of such Board, every male person who is by such List entitled to vote being qualified to be elected a member.

City Hall, Dublin,
13th January, 1920.
(By Order)
HENRY CAMPBELL,
Town Clerk.

RE COUNTY DUBLIN CORONERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next meeting of the County Dublin County Council, to be held on Thursday, the 22nd day of January, 1920, the Council will proceed to the Election of a Coroner for the County, and will assign him the District known as South Dublin.

The salary of £200 per annum will be paid to the person appointed by the County Council, and the expenses, and the payment thereof, are regulated by the provisions of the Coroners Acts.

Applications for the appointment should be sent to the Secretary of the County Dublin County Council at his Office, 11 Rutland square, Dublin, in time to be delivered at that Office before 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 21st inst. Only persons are qualified for the appointment who are registered as qualified to practice Medicine or Surgery under the Medical Acts, or as a Barrister at Law, a Solicitor or Justice of the Peace of five years standing.

Applicants are requested to state in their applications their qualifications for the position.

(Signed)
H. J. CLANCY, Secretary,
County Dublin County Council,
11 Rutland square, Dublin.
10th January, 1920.

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION FOR CRIMINAL INJURIES.

Take notice that, at the Sessions to be held at Green street, Dublin, on the 2nd day of February, 1920, an application for Compensation for Criminal Injuries will be made on behalf of John P. Cuffe, of 252 North Circular road, Dublin. The nature of the injury complained of is that on the 9th day of January, 1920, a Ford Motor Car, with English body, was wantonly and maliciously burned. The place where the injury occurred is Finglas, County Dublin, and the amount of compensation claimed is £400.

Dated this 13th day of January, 1920.
JOHN P. CUFFE, Applicant.
JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor for Applicant, 58 Rutland square, W., Dublin.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS
WILL BE HELD IN THE
ABBEY CHURCH,
TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY),
14th JANUARY, AT 8 P.M.
Speakers:
MR. A. W. EDMUNDS,
of English Presbyterian Mission, Swatow, China; MISS R. HUDSON, REV. R. BOYD, and PROF. G. H. CARPENTER,
Laymen's Missionary Movement.
AND IN THE
ADELAIDE ROAD CHURCH,
TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY),
14th JANUARY, AT 8 P.M.
Speakers:
REV. R. K. LYLE (China), DR. L. E. DUNN (India), and MR. W. M. ELLIOTT (Laymen's Missionary Movement).

NOTICE PUBLISHING TIME AND PLACE OF AUDIT.

COUNTY DUBLIN COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

Notice is hereby given that the Audit of the Accounts of the above-named Council, for the financial period ended the 30th day of September, 1919, will be opened in the Offices, 11 Rutland square, Dublin, by E. P. McCarron, Esq., Local Government Auditor, on the 19th day of January, 1920, at the hour of 10.30 a.m. o'clock; when and where objections to any matter contained in the said several Accounts will be heard. The Accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the Audit.

Dated the 12th day of January, 1920.
D. F. GILLMAN,
Secretary.

APPLICATION.

TAKE NOTICE that, as Secretary of the ABBEYLEIX EX-SERVICE MEN'S CLUB, I desire to obtain a Certificate of Registration of the said Club, which is situated at Stucker Hill, Abbeyleix, and is being formed for social and co-operative purposes.

Dated this 10th day of January, 1920.
EDWARD LARKIN,
Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICES.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS,
15th JANUARY, 1920.

TO THE ELECTORS DUBLIN NO. 10 BOROUGH ELECTORAL AREA (Consisting of Trinity Ward and South Dock Ward).

CANDIDATURE OF
Dr. MYLES KEOGH, J.P.

DEAR SIR OR MADAM,—
At the request of an influential number of Burgesses of the above Electoral Area, I have decided to seek re-election as your Representative on the Municipal Council.

For over a quarter of a century I have laboured consistently for Municipal Reform, and have always advocated Economy, Progress, and Efficiency in the administration of Civic affairs.

I accordingly respectfully solicit your Vote and Influence, and, if elected, I shall endeavour to prove myself worthy of your confidence.

Yours faithfully,
MYLES KEOGH.

NOMINATED BY:—
The RIGHT HON. M. F. COX, M.D.
JAMES CRAIG, M.D., President Royal College of Physicians.
JOHN B. STORY, M.D., President Royal College of Surgeons.
Sir ROBERT H. WOODS, M.P., M.D., Ex-President Royal College of Surgeons.
EDWARD H. TAYLOR, M.D., Vice-President Royal College of Surgeons.
Sir LAMBERT H. ORMSBY, D.L., M.D., Ex-President Royal College of Surgeons.
Sir ARTHUR CHANCE, M.D., Ex-President Royal College of Surgeons.
CONWAY DWYER, M.D., Ex-President Royal College of Surgeons.
JOSEPH O'CARROLL, M.D., Ex-President Royal College of Physicians.
Sir WILLIAM FRY, D.L., Ex-President Incorporated Law Society.
Sir GEORGE ROCHE, Ex-President Incorporated Law Society.
MARTIN DEMPSEY, M.D., Professor National University.
LADY MYLES.
The Rev. JOHN CARSON, B.D.
JOHN HUGHES, Esq., Great Brunswick street.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

TRINITY AND SOUTH DOCK WARDS.

VOTE FOR
SIR JOHN IRWIN, J.P.,
PAPER MANUFACTURER,

Who will represent the Ratepayers and oppose unnecessary expenditure and extravagance.

Proportional Representation is your opportunity to elect business men.

Mark your Ballot Paper with FIGURE 1 opposite SIR JOHN IRWIN'S NAME.

Every Elector should vote on this occasion.

TO THE ELECTORS OF
No. 2 AREA,
Including
EAST AND WEST CLONTARF, DRUMCONDRA, AND GLASNEVIN WARDS.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—
You have had my Address in your possession for the past week.

Most of the aspirants for Municipal Honours are telling you WHAT THEY WILL DO. I have told you some of the things I HAVE DONE, which, I take it, is the best guarantee I can give you of what my future action will be should you return me as one of your Representatives. I base my claim not on length of service, but on work accomplished.

Should you desire me to continue, you will ALL come to the Poll on Thursday and cast your First Preference Vote for

JAMES MORAN,
RETIRING ALDERMAN.

My Name is 16th on Ballot Paper, thus:—

1	MORAN, JAMES, 3 Hollybrook Park, Clontarf, Alderman and Director of Public Company.

Please place the Figure 1 in the Blank Space before my Name, as shown above.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1920.

THE VOTERS' GUIDE.

AREA No. 2.

CLONTARF, EAST.
CLONTARF, WEST.
DRUMCONDRA.
GLASNEVIN.

WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO.

Hail, rain, or snow, go to the Polling Booth for your own Ward between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Carefully read the instructions on your Ballot Paper, and then place the figure 1 opposite the name of "HUBBARD CLARK, J.P., thus:—

1	CLARK

You then place the figure 2 opp. your next favourite, and so on.

WOOD QUAY WARD.

MUNICIPAL REFORM COMMITTEE,

Which includes
DUBLIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
DUBLIN CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION,
DUBLIN MERCANTILE ASSOCIATION,
IRISH WOMEN'S CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION,
CHILDREN'S CARE COMMITTEE,
MIDDLE CLASSES UNION,
and
ROTARY CLUB.

Have Selected

WILLIAM McCABE,
FISH & POULTRY MERCHANT,
Also
OF THE DUBLIN PURE ICE AND COLD STORAGE COMPANY,

As their CANDIDATE for above Ward, who is going forward as a

BUSINESS MAN.

The Associations set out above request the Voters to give him their No. 1 Vote.

Electors may also give 2, 3, 4, and so on, to other candidates of their choice.

ELECTION 15th JANUARY,
At NATIONAL SCHOOLS, 20 NEW STREET.

KINGSTOWN ELECTORS.

VOTE
On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 15th JANUARY, 1920,
FOR THE FOLLOWING
UNIONIST CANDIDATES
IN EACH DISTRICT:—

GLASTHULE.
HENRY C. FALKNER, J.P.
ALFRED M. FLEMING.
N. ORMSBY SCOTT.
R. NORMAN POTTERTON.

KINGSTOWN EAST.
C. NEVILLE COOK.
WILLIAM A. EVANS, J.P.
Dr. PATRICK MERRIN, J.P.
Sir THOMAS W. ROBINSON.

KINGSTOWN WEST.
T. MORGAN GOOD.
HENRY T. B. ROBINSON.
WILLIAM J. SCANLON.

MONKSTOWN.
FRANCIS M. BENTLY.

CITY OF DUBLIN AND PEMBROKE UNIONIST ASSOCIATION, 10 LEINSTER STREET.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

VOTE ON THURSDAY.

THE OFFICES OF THE
CITY OF DUBLIN & PEMBROKE UNIONIST ASSOCIATION
will be Open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, and from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday, for the purpose of giving information to Unionist Voters.

ELECTION NOTICES.

TO THE
RATHMINES ELECTORS.

DO NOT BE MISLED BY A PROGRAMME that will stultify efficient administration.

THE
BUSINESS CANDIDATES

are pledged to conduct the affairs of the Township in conformity with the Law and without fear or prejudice.

The Policy of the retiring Council on the questions of

HOUSING
AND
PROFITEERING

has the full approval of the Business Candidates.

THE HOUSING OF THE PEOPLE ACT has already been adopted for the Urban District and a scheme approved. Delay in carrying out this scheme would be disastrous to the Township.

THE PROFITEERING ACT is in operation in the Township, and the Business Candidates are pledged to carry out its provisions without fear or favour.

DO NOT SUPPORT A POLITICAL PROGRAMME that threatens to hold up all progress in Municipal affairs.

Vote early on THURSDAY NEXT for the following Candidates:—

EAST WARD, No. 1 (At Town Hall).
CARRUTHERS.
HATTE.
RUSSELL.

EAST WARD, No. 2 (At Northbrook road National Schools).
ANDERSON.
BOLTON.
GOULDING.
JACKSON.
SIBTHORPE.

WEST WARD, No. 1 (At Technical Schools, Leinster road).
MACKENZIE.
METCALFE.
O'MALLEY.

WEST WARD, No. 2 (At National Schools, Hollyfields).
BENSON.
DIXON.
GIDDINGS.
IRELAND.
SLATOR.

DUBLIN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS,
JANUARY, 1920.

ELECTORAL AREA III.

Dear Sir, or Madam,
I wish to intimate that I am a Candidate for the representation in the Municipal Council of Electoral Area III., which is constituted of the four Wards—Fitzwilliam—which I have represented for fifteen years—Mansion House, Royal Exchange, and South City.

I have been nominated as a Candidate by the Municipal Reform Association, whose purpose is to secure the election to the Council of business men who will see that its affairs are efficiently administered, and who, whenever the best interests of the city demand it, will give strenuous opposition to every scheme involving unnecessary expenditure.

The Housing Question in the city calls urgently for settlement. As hitherto, I have always supported every well-considered scheme of housing. I shall, if I am re-elected, give every possible support in the future to any practicable and carefully examined scheme that may bring about the result so much desired, provided that all due safeguards are taken to protect the interests of the ratepayers.

When Lord Mayor I was instrumental in obtaining an Act of Parliament specially providing for the re-building of the houses in the destroyed area of the city. I might recall that when Mr. Asquith, then Premier, visited the city immediately after the Rebellion, I had, at his invitation, an interview with him, at which I pointed out to him that the Corporation had no power to compel owners in the destroyed area to re-build, and that they were also powerless to exercise the slightest supervision over designs for building or necessary materials. Mr. Asquith said that a similar difficulty had been experienced in England, and he agreed that new legislation was necessary, and that it would be forthcoming. He also at my request promised sympathetic consideration to the application for an ex-gratia grant to enable owners to re-build. Soon afterwards it was necessary to send a deputation to the Prime Minister, which consisted of Alderman Moran, Councillor Beattie, Councillor Ryan, myself, and others. The late Mr. John Redmond introduced the deputation. I put the case of the Corporation with all possible force before the Prime Minister, who admitted its justice, and promised that it would get immediate consideration. Mr. H. Campbell, Town Clerk, made a striking and most convincing statement, which profoundly impressed the Premier.

As a result of these two interviews the Dublin Reconstruction Act was passed into law. Among other things, it empowered the Corporation to compel owners in the destroyed area to re-build, and it also gave them control over building designs and the materials used. I may mention that the powers thus specified (Substitution of Sites) were never hitherto possessed by any municipal authority in the United Kingdom. The carrying out of this Act was entrusted to the Reconstruction Committee, of which I was appointed Chairman, which position I have since occupied.

How the Committee has done its work requires no telling. It is obvious to all who wish to observe the splendid buildings—useful for the purpose they were intended to serve, and graceful in appearance and design—which have been erected in, comparatively speaking, so short a space of time, in Sackville street, Henry street, Moore street, Earl street, and Eden quay. Expeditious as this work has been, it would have been more so were it not for the difficulty in procuring materials. The widening of Earl street, which will make it one of the most beautiful streets in the city, is another result of the labours of the Reconstruction Committee. I think it due to my colleagues on the Committee, Alderman Moran especially, to acknowledge the valuable assistance which they continuously gave me in carrying out the important duties entrusted to us. Needless to say, excellent help and advice were also rendered by the Town Clerk, the City Architect, the City Engineer, and the Law Agent.

I represent the Dublin Corporation on the War Pensions Committee, and have been its Chairman since its inception. It is impossible to overrate the importance of the duties discharged by this Committee, through whose agency war pensioners and their dependants obtain that practical recognition of their services which they so well deserve. To safeguard the interests of the men who gallantly did their duty in the great war has, indeed, been to me a labour of love. I should like to have the opportunity which my re-election would give of continuing this most meritorious work.

I am a member of the newly-appointed Ministry of Health, which now has very considerable power for dealing with the vital issues connected with this all-important matter in Ireland. In this capacity I hope to have many opportunities to promote and forward schemes that may be considered useful in bringing about the improvement of the health conditions of the city and removing the causes of its too great mortality. Already as a consequence of the work of this Ministry the medical examination of school children may be regarded as an accomplished fact. From this the most beneficial results are anticipated.

As it is wholly impossible for me to make a personal call on all the electors, I must ask their kind indulgence for my not doing so, and trust that the expression of my views as herein set forth may meet with their entire satisfaction. My record as a Representative is, I think, sufficient to justify me in respectfully soliciting your vote and support.

I am, yours faithfully,
JAMES M. GALLAGHER.
24 Dame street, Dublin.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

ALL VOTERS
SHOULD CAREFULLY CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING FACTS:—

INTEMPERANCE has been, directly or indirectly, the cause of
Nearly all Pauperism;
One-third of the Lunacy;
Eighty per cent. of the Crime;
Loss of Work, amounting to one day in six;
An immense number of Accidents; and
Much Sickness.

INTEMPERANCE hampers every trade, except that in Intoxicating Liquors, and all Social and Municipal Reform.
It is the greatest foe of the Home, Child-life, and True Freedom.

NEVER VOTE IN FAVOUR
OF THE
LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

IRISH ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF INTEMPERANCE,
4 EUSTACE STREET, DUBLIN.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

POLLING DAY, 15th JANUARY, 1920.

PROGRESSIVE DUBLIN.

A SERIOUS APPEAL.

Electors rightly dissatisfied with a 16/11½ Rate, and the obviously inadequate return to the Ratepayers in the shape of Municipal Amenities, Public Services, and Facilities, and who earnestly desire the Reform and Progress which a wise and business-like handling of the Civic Purse and affairs will ensure, have at hand their opportunity.

Should such Electors fail to realise their power and responsibility by declining to VOTE in this crisis, the blame for an unrepresentative and inefficient Corporation will be theirs.

The Candidates, whose zeal and ability to serve their city and achieve its municipal, commercial, and social advancement, vouched for by the Reform Committee, are as follow:—

Area No. 1—Mr. E. M'Gough, J.P. Area No. 2—Alderman J. Moran, J.P.; J. H. Clark, J.P.; M. J. Moran, T.C.; J. Foley, T.C. Area No. 3—Sir A. Beattie, Sir James Gallagher, R. Russell Stritch, J.P. Area No. 4—Mrs. Anne Egan, Mr. James Grierson, J.P. Area No. 5—Mr. R. H. White. Area No. 6—Mrs. Weldrick, P.L.G. Area No. 7—Professor Shields. Area No. 8—Alderman J. C. McWalter, T. D. Lambert, V.S. Area No. 9—Mr. William McCabe. Area No. 10—Mr. M. J. Maxwell-Lemon, Mr. F. T. Bainsford, J.P.

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OF THE FINEST QUALITY AND IN ALL THE NEWEST STYLES.
PEARL NECKLETS,
BEAUTIFULLY GRADED AND PERFECTLY MATCHED FOR COLOUR.
BEAD NECKLETS,
IN JADE, CORNELIAN, AND AMBER.
TORTOISESHELL
IN ALL FORMS—FOR THE TOILET TABLE OR AS SLAVE BANGLES,
CIGARETTE CASES AND HOLDERS.
WEST & SON,
GRAFTON HOUSE,
102 & 103 GRAFTON ST., DUBLIN.

The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1920.

The Prime Ministers of the Allied States in Paris are discussing the Jugo-Slav, the Adriatic, and the Turkish questions.

President Wilson has issued invitations for the first meeting of the Council of the League of Nations to take place in Paris on Friday. The United States of America will not be represented at it.

Speaking under the auspices of the League of Nations Union at Widnes last night, Lord Robert Cecil said that the coming into existence of the League was the greatest fact in history, and, he hoped, the prelude to an alliance of all nations. Mr. Henderson said that the League Covenant, though requiring alteration, lessened the probability of war.

At the opening of the County Dublin Sessions yesterday the Recorder, referring to the recent attempt on the life of Lord French, said that the county had been the scene of an outrage unparalleled in the history of this country. To the great relief of all good and true men that outrage had failed in its execrable purpose.

At the annual meeting of the Irish Association of Advertising Men, which was held in Dublin yesterday, Mr. S. G. Haughton was elected president and other officers were appointed. The annual dinner was subsequently held.

A mail car which left Thurles at six o'clock yesterday morning was held up by armed men, who cut open the mail sacks and tore a number of letters. They evidently expected to find money, but were disappointed.

On Saturday night a number of motor garages were broken into in the town of Sligo and many motor cars and some motor lorries were badly damaged by the removal of vital parts of the machinery.

On Monday night ladies and gentlemen who were driving to a ball at Freshford, County Kilkenny, were held up by armed and masked men, who compelled them to leave the motor cars and to stand in a field while the engines of the cars were being destroyed. Six cars were damaged in this manner.

In London yesterday the Stock Markets were irregular, but there were the usual cheerful demonstrations in specialities. Money conditions were firm, with overnight loans at 4 per cent. and balances down to 3 per cent. The discount market was firm. Silver, which on Monday reached the high price of 6s. 10½d., was slightly lower at 6s. 10¼d. In Dublin the Stock Market was firm, and prices mostly higher.

To-morrow's Elections.

Throughout Ireland to-morrow the municipal elections will be held, and the fate of the Irish towns for the next three years will be decided. The country has reached a critical phase not only in its political, but also in its cultural and economic, development. To-morrow's elections are bound to exert a profound influence on the evolution of Ireland's future *status* among the civilised countries of the world. Apart from general principles the elections are of immense importance to every individual ratepayer. There can be no doubt, unfortunately, that Ireland's municipal affairs have not been managed well in the past. Who will dare to assert that they are being managed well to-day? The fault lies with the ratepayers. Hitherto municipal elections have not been taken seriously. Men have been elected to positions of the highest responsibility, not because of their good qualities as administrators or men of affairs, but because they have been acute enough to shout with the biggest crowd. The welfare of the towns was neglected; efficiency yielded to eloquence; and the rates soared. Now the Irish ratepayers have an opportunity of changing this lamentable condition of affairs. Those among them who fought in the war have had experience of the effects of good government in towns in England, France, and the occupied territories of Germany. Doubtless, they have realised the deficiencies of their own local administrators, and recognise that the remedy lies in their own hands. If we want good towns, we must have good men to administer their affairs. Clean methods produce clean streets, and scrupulous attention to business works wonders with the rates. Our whole municipal system has been vitiated by a false sentimentality and by the substitution of the methods of Tammany Hall for those of an enterprising business concern. Unless the ratepayers do their duty to-morrow these vices will continue. There are plenty of able men of affairs among the many candidates for the various councils and corporations. These men must be elected.

So far as Dublin is concerned, the most alarming feature of the situation is the large number of candidates who are pledged to the "principles" of *Sinn Fein*. Whatever *Sinn Fein* may or may not be, it certainly is candid, and every ratepayer in the country knows exactly for what it stands. What sensible man or woman can contemplate with equanimity the possibility—even probability—of a Dublin Corporation completely under the influence of political idealogues? Ratepayers want efficiency, and to-morrow they must take the necessary steps to secure it. Reform candidates are in a small minority in the City of Dublin, but in the various townships the outlook is brighter. A number of capable business men are offering themselves for election, some in the category of Municipal Reformers, others simply as Unionists. Although the term Unionist implies a definite political party, in this case it also may be taken as implying sound commonsense and business capacity. The duty of every Unionist elector is to secure, if possible, the return of every Unionist candidate. In view of the present political state of the country, the presence of Unionists on our municipal councils will act as a check upon fanaticism. Every available vote should be recorded in favour of the Unionist and Municipal Reform candidates. If the ratepayers choose, they can bring about the election of these men. Nobody—not even the most rabid standard-bearer of an Irish "Republic"—can deny that they are excellent candidates from every non-political point of view. They are capable, honest, trustworthy, and conscientious. In their hands the affairs of the townships would be perfectly safe. There can be no possible excuse, therefore, for any Unionist or public-spirited ratepayer who does not visit the polling booth to-morrow morning and do his or her share to secure their return.

The Unionists of the South and West of Ireland pay a considerable proportion of the municipal rates. Hitherto they have had no voice in the administration of their money. Outside Dublin they had virtually no representation on local bodies, although in many towns they formed a strong and homogeneous minority. Under proportional representation their grievance can be redressed. If they do their duty, they can secure a number of seats throughout the country; but, in order to secure them, they must vote, and, moreover, vote for the right men. *Sinn Fein*, should it gain the upper hand, will inevitably wreck our municipal system. By virtue of their pledges the Republican candidates are bound to ignore the authority, *de jure* or *de facto*, of the British Government. The effects of this "policy" have been bad enough in purely political affairs. What are they likely to be on the conduct of our towns? We appeal to Unionists—and to sensible Nationalists—throughout the country to strain every nerve in order to save the towns. *Sinn Fein* is "out" for a Republic. It will subordinate every other interest to the achievement of its fond aim, and the ratepayer, already overburdened, may soon find himself faced with municipal ruin. If men and women of common-sense combine, the dangers of administrative disruption may be averted; but at present they are very real and very close at hand. Every elector in Ireland has a personal responsibility. The future prosperity of our island may be at stake. We trust, therefore, that all our readers will recognise the gravity of the situation, and that they will exercise their privilege as citizens, inspired only by the thought of their country's welfare.

Trade with Germany.

We have resumed diplomatic relations with Germany, and virtually all the restrictions on trade have been removed. Licences are still required before we can export certain classes of goods, but the list is comparatively small. So far as imports are concerned, Germany stands in exactly the same position as France, Italy, or the United States. We can buy from her anything that we can buy from them—provided, of course, that she is able to supply it. Through the Board of Trade the Government has given a lead to the traders of the country. An official statement which has just been issued sets out that "it is now no part of the policy of the Government to discourage British traders from competing in the markets of the late enemy country; it thinks it desirable that traders should make every effort to secure a proper footing in Central Europe." It is to be hoped, therefore, that in the course of a few weeks we shall see large developments in the exchange of goods between the two countries. There are two great obstacles in the way. The first of these is purely a question of sentiment. The atrocities which Germany perpetrated during the war created a deep and bitter feeling against her, and many people resolved that under no circumstances would they again purchase German goods. The official ratification of the peace is a call to the nation to let the dead past bury its dead, on the assumption that Germany has changed her heart and has decided to mend her ways. That assumption may be wrong; but it is the hypothesis upon which peace has been made, and it must be accepted if the world is to be a habitable place. Certainly it is to our advantage to trade freely with our former enemy. Already France has taken steps to stimulate the import of goods from Germany. Owing to the extraordinary state of the exchanges we can buy certain articles much cheaper in Germany to-day than we could buy them before the war. At present we are compelled to depend for supplies on countries where the exchange is adverse to us, and this is the main reason for the high cost of living. Unless we help to improve the value of the mark we never can hope to receive from Germany the huge indemnity that she must pay in accordance with the terms of the Treaty. Imports, of course, must be kept within certain limits. We must not return to the pre-war conditions which enabled Germany to flood our markets with cheap goods and to strangle our own industries. A reasonable measure of competition, however, would do good. Certain powerful sections of British traders are far too ready to cry "wolf," and to stimulate the national prejudice against Germany for selfish ends. They must be taught that they cannot enjoy a monopoly for ever, and that the public insists upon getting relief from high prices. The Government may be trusted to see that the resumption of commercial relations does not hit struggling "key" industries with undue severity. So far as pre-war liabilities with Germany are concerned, it is important for business-men to note that the Government's clearing-house has now been established.

Religion in Russia.

The Bolshevist Government has adopted a new attitude to the Christian faith. It hates Christianity as much as ever, but has been forced to realise that the roots of the Orthodox Church are still deep in "Holy Russia," and that the torturing of priests and nuns is a bad advertisement for Lenin's political propaganda. The Soviet Government has decided, therefore, that Christian "superstitions" may continue to be practised—but under the strict direction of the State. A Bolshevist newspaper explains the Government's purpose. The peasantry "are going to be shown that they have no reason to fear for their creed—a creed which even the most hopeful Communists know can only be eradicated by a generation of rational education in Soviet schools." In a word, the Jewish rulers of Russia are applying to Christianity the policy which, as Gibbon tells us, Imperial Rome adopted to Paganism. While religion's claws are being drawn, its dwindling energies will be diverted, by prudent governance, to the service of the Communist State. The process has begun with a decree which furthers the "uniformity" of the Orthodox Church. District Soviets are authorised to enforce a standardised hymn upon all religious institutions, and to provide before Easter a "scheme of revision" for the All-Night Service. In pursuit of this new policy Trotsky has censured blasphemy among the troops. He has ordered the suppression of that popular ditty which boasts that the Red Armies, having banished God, will have a still easier task with Koltchak and the Japanese. While religion may be practised, however, so long as it exists, every effort will be made to convert Christians to the tenets of an enlightened atheism. A well organised plan is on foot to sap the foundations of belief. For instance, Soviet officials throughout Russia are opening the coffins of reputed saints, with the object of proving that relics to which the pious moujiks ascribed healing virtues were inventions of priests and monks. By order of the State filmed reproductions of these exhumations are shown at all the picture-houses.

The New Turn-coat.

The high price of clothes has suggested many economies to the "new poor." They have discovered the merits of the "turned" suit and the cleaned hat. There are well-dressed men in Dublin to-day who make no secret of their resort to these processes of sartorial rejuvenation. In France, as might have been expected, the need has created a new art. The French are the most ingenious of people, and the cost of men's clothes has soared beyond all reason in Paris. The *stoppeur*, hitherto a slighted artist, has come into his own. He is no vulgar stitcher or darner. He re-weaves holes in woollen cloth, and so is able to obliterate entirely the marks of button-holes when he turns a coat. During the last few months *stoppeurs* and *stoppeuses* have set up shop in the most fashionable quarters of the city. A leading hatter told the *Excelsior* that most of his old customers now ask him to give their tired "toppers" and Homburgs a fresh lease of life. His new *clientèle* which buys new hats comes from quarters of the city that, before President Wilson made the world safe for democracy, were outside the pale. It is the same story everywhere. A famous operatic singer told us that, in his recent tour of big towns in England, the only part of the theatres that was not crowded was "the gods." The "new rich" have come down to the stalls. The "new poor" are still reluctant to go upstairs.

THE MOTOR PERMITS ORDER.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

All the moderate and law-abiding citizens of Dublin approved the objects sought to be obtained by the Motor Permits Order, and agreed, and still agree, that as regards the substance of the measure a recession by the authorities is not to be thought of. Public opinion did not sympathise with the striking motor-drivers, who appear to have been seeking political rather than industrial ends; and if they had received all proposals for an adjustment of the quarrel with a categorical negative, they would have found the public equally stubborn in its support of the measure. But the motor-drivers have shown themselves willing to compromise, and have actually agreed upon an alternative procedure, which, it is claimed, secures all the objects that the Motor Permits Order seeks to reach, and which could be adopted by those by whom compliance with the more complex formalities of the Order itself is regarded as a hardship. The motor-owners have also agreed to the proposed procedure, which, it must be understood, is put forward not in supersession of the Order, but as an alternative to be adopted by those who prefer it to the procedure provided by the Order itself.

It is an open secret that Mr. H. G. Burgess, Director-General of Transport for Ireland, who enjoys the confidence of all classes of the community to an unusual extent, must be credited with bringing owners and drivers together on a solution of the difficulty which the public consider and—what is equally important—which Mr. Burgess himself considers, preserves intact the aims and efficacy of the Motor Permits Order.

This alternative the authorities have refused to accept, and the position is one which the long-suffering public can only contemplate with distaste, since it compels them to sit in judgment as between Mr. Burgess, of whose tact, ability, and sound common-sense there is no doubt, and the military authorities, whose responsibilities they appreciate. At the moment the view is being widely taken that the mature verdict of the Irish Executive in regard to the proposals submitted by Mr. Burgess must be loyally accepted, but that the Irish Government in its turn should satisfy its law-abiding supporters that it has good reason for its decision.

COURT CIRCULAR.

VICEREGAL LODGE, DUBLIN
TUESDAY.

General and Mrs. F. F. Ready, General and Mrs. J. Brind, Miss M. Swinton, and Capt. R. P. Rogers, 1st Battalion Wiltshire Regiment, had the honour of being invited to dine with His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant at the Viceregal Lodge this evening.

The Earl of Dunraven arrived at the Lodge to-day.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—Small secondary depressions crossing the British Isles will cause the weather to remain unsettled. Fresh depressions in the Atlantic will probably affect our western coasts by evening.

Ireland, N.W.—Moderate winds, between S.W. and W., becoming fresh or strong; varying amount of low cloud; some showers, tendency for rain later; visibility fair to indifferent; mild.

Ireland, N.E.—Moderate S.W. to W. winds, fresh locally; varying amount of low cloud; some rain locally; visibility mainly fair; mild.

Ireland, S.E. and S.W.—Fresh or strong winds, between S.W. and W.; varying amount of low cloud; some showers, tendency for rain later; visibility fair to indifferent; mild.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day....	Morning	5.54	Evening	6.24
To-morrow..	"	7. 0	"	7.37

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day....	Rises ..	8.35	Sets	4.33
To-morrow..	" ..	8.34	"	4.35

LIGHTING-UP TIME .... 5.33 P.M.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

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TUESDAY NIGHT.

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A CALL TO MR. ASQUITH.

The Times, in a leading article to-day, says: Hard on the Lord Chancellor's call for a new party which is to squeeze out the old Liberal organisation, in order that it may be the sole bulwark of society against the designs of Labour, comes the news that Mr. Asquith may be a candidate in the by-election at Paisley. Thus is the touch-stone of reality applied to the quaint illusions of a coterie of politicians who fondly imagine that they can divide up the nation into parties of their own choosing. There can be no Centre Party worthy the name which does not include Unionists and Liberals in fairly equal proportions, and the new development at Paisley proves the Lord Chancellor, judged as a political architect, to be the veriest tyro. You cannot build a house until you have dug the foundations, as the Lord Chancellor might have learned from some of his colleagues. From his predecessors he might have learned that his latest excursion into party politics is scarcely in accordance with the traditions of his high office. Certainly in the transition stage through which politics are at present passing the Coalition cannot disregard Mr. Asquith and his considerable—nay, if Spen Valley is any guide—increasing following. The Coalition organisers are now aware of the danger, for, according to our Parliamentary Correspondent, they have decided not to nominate a candidate if Mr. Asquith stands, and to leave him to fight out the election with a Labour man. This is, no doubt, a sound decision in view of the state of the electoral barometer, but it makes hay of the Lord Chancellor's plea that only he and his friends are capable of withstanding the onslaught of Labour. The Paisley Liberals have yet to make their choice, but there will be a very general hope that they will give Mr. Asquith the opportunity of re-entering Parliament. The House of Commons suffered lamentably last session from the absence of an experienced leader of the Opposition. Ministers were virtually immune from expert criticism, and they were able far too often to take risks simply because there was no one in opposition who had the administrative experience to check them. This was most strongly brought out in the autumn debates on public expenditure, and, with the promise of even more critical discussions on this vital question in the coming months, the taxpayer needs the protection of men who can speak with knowledge and authority.

THE RUSSIAN PROBLEM.

Commenting on the Russian situation, *The Times*, in a leading article to-day, says:—The question for the Allies and Associates is not whether the Soviet Government will employ the Red Armies for the forcible regeneration of mankind, but where they will employ them. For months past they have been paying particular attention to the promotion of Soviet principles in the East—in Turkey, in Persia, in Bokhara, in Afghanistan, in India, in Korea, and in China. The Germans were the first to see the possibilities of the movement and to lay the foundations for it. It has been prosecuted with great vigour, and at enormous outlay for propaganda. Though it has already borne some fruit, and promises to bear more, Lenin is understood to regard it rather as a diversion than as the chief object of Bolshevist activities. He looks upon the stirring up of disorders in India, we are told, as "the shortest way to London"—as the best way, in fact, to blackmail England into making terms with him. But the main attack seems more likely to be to the West—against Rumania, Poland, the Baltic Provinces, and, perhaps, even against Germany. Have the Allies given the smallest heed to this contingency? Have they considered at all how they will meet it should it arise? There is, indeed, one easy policy for confronting it, but it is a policy so utterly shameless and reckless that we cannot suppose it would find favour with any of the Allies. It has been whispered in some quarters—and in some very unexpected quarters, too—that the way of escape from the dangers and the perplexities into which our spasmodic and half-hearted action has led us—based on no principle and pursued on no intelligent and connected plan—is plain and simple. The Allies have only to give regenerated Germany a mandate to restore order in Russia, and the task will be solved. She will either make the accommodation with Lenin which the Allied statesmen have branded as an inconceivable infamy, or, as is more probable, the reactionary chiefs and officers in the Red Armies will come to a friendly understanding with their "militarist" comrades of the German Service, and, as brothers in arms, they will together overthrow a system hateful to both, and re-establish order on their own pattern, and in accordance with "the monarchical principle." In either case, Germany, acting in the name of Europe, would secure for herself a position which would more than recompense her for that which she has lost. She would be, in Russian eyes, the one Power who had come to Russia's aid in the day of her extremity. Dismissing this scheme as equally degrading and short-sighted, we ask again how the Allies intend to meet the danger which unquestionably threatens them? It is useless for them to hide their heads in the sand. The danger may not come to a head, but it must be faced. It urgently demands careful study from all the materials available—materials which include the Bolshevist intrigues now being carried on in this country at lavish cost, and other matters, all of which are not known to the public. The Bolshevists know what they want, and so do the Germans, who are eager to treat with them or to suppress them. It is time for the Allies and Associates to be equally clear as to their aims, and as to the means of carrying these aims out.

AMERICAN ALOOFNESS.

The New York Correspondent of *The Times*, telegraphing yesterday, says:—The United States seems to be entering on a new phase of her relationship to Europe, or, rather, reverting to an old phase. During the days of neutrality Americans were encouraged by their traditional modes of thought, and by the President himself, to believe that the war was the product of the European system of selfish nationalism. When she entered the war this idea was buried under a wave of generous enthusiasm for a new-found cause. After the Armistice there began a reaction. The President was described from Paris by multitudinous correspondents as hampered in his idealism by British, French, and Italian Imperialism, and so on. The long controversy over the League in the Senate, the Press, and in the country, to say nothing of the obvious imperfections of the Peace settlement, has helped on the reaction, until now American thought seems to tend towards the same type of aloofness as that which four years ago was making the President believe that he best could serve humanity by keeping out of the war and helping Europe to arrange Peace. Germany and her potentiality for evil are, for the moment, out of the picture. The Russian situation, thanks partly to the defective methods of publicity of the Allies, is so befogged that its warning is to a great extent lost sight of, and, anyhow, if Bolshevism is a danger, the view taken is that Europe should prepare her first line of defence by getting down seriously to economy and reconstruction, and subordinating to that task the play of politics and national ambitions. Such, according to more than one competent observer, is, roughly, not the least important key to their countrymen's attitude towards Europe. It explains the popularity of Mr. Hoover's views. It explains sundry aspects of the League controversy, and to Englishmen, with their record of somewhat complacent isolation behind them, it does not need much defence, especially if American traditions of foreign policy be remembered, and the cogency of the current causes of America's preoccupation with her own affairs.

LORD GREY'S RETURN.

Viscount Grey of Fallodon, says *The Times*, with whom were Sir William Tyrrell, Major Crawford Stuart, and Mr. R. T. Campbell, arrived at Southampton yesterday morning on the White Star liner Adriatic. Lady Jellicoe was also a passenger. Lord Grey appeared to be in excellent health and spirits, and the voyage had given him a much needed rest. During the voyage Lord Grey gave a couple of tea parties to the Cecil Rhodes Scholars (of whom there were 24 on board), twenty Americans and four Canadians, who are to continue their studies at Oxford University. Their meetings with Lord Grey were exceedingly happy, Lord Grey being an Oxford man, and they were delighted to hear what was said about the history and romance of the University. During the Sunday Evening Service on Board, Lord Grey made an appeal on behalf of seamen's charities, £273 being raised, and gratefully acknowledged by the Adriatic's commander, Captain Ransom.

PEACE PROBLEMS.

JUGO-SLAV CLAIMS.

THE TURKISH QUESTION.

A Paris telegram, dated Monday, says:—M. Clemenceau, Mr. Lloyd George, and Signor Nitti this morning heard Dr. Trumbitch, the Jugo-Slav Minister of Foreign Affairs, who made a long statement on the general situation of Jugo-Slavia. The three Premiers also conferred together on the Turkish question.

Another message, dated Monday, says:—The Jugo-Slav Delegation submitted its views on the Adriatic question to the Supreme Council on Saturday and to-day. According to a statement by Dr. Pasitch, head of the delegation, the Jugo-Slavs adhere to their claim to Fiume as the only outlet of Jugo-Slavia to the sea. Two delegates, representing d'Annunzio and the Fiume National Council, have arrived in Paris.

Tuesday's *Matin* says:—The deliberations of the three Premiers continue to be wrapt in the greatest mystery, and are likely to be prolonged. Mr. Lloyd George, it is said, intends, if necessary, to remain several weeks in Paris to settle all essential questions.

The Council of Ministers met this morning under the presidency of M. Paul Cambon, says a Reuter's message, dated Paris, Tuesday. Lord Curzon, Signor Scialoja, Mr. Hugh Wallace, and Mr. Matsu were present. The Council approved the report of the Drafting Commission, which stipulates that the arrangements concluded before the war between Croatia and Hungary are not to prejudice financial questions in connection with the Hungarian Treaty. It was also decided to modify Article 207 of the Hungarian Treaty dealing with the supply of coal to Hungary by Poland and Czecho-Slovakia.

The Council settled the condition under which its decisions will be made public, the work in connection with which was entrusted to the Secreteriat-General.

Note was taken of the renunciation by the United States Government of any share of enemy warships or naval material.

The Council devoted some time to discussions of the form in which the Inter-Allied deliberations are to be conducted in future. Some members of the Council were in favour of replacing the Supreme Council by a Council of Ambassadors. The final decision on this subject will be taken by the Allied Prime Ministers.

GERMANY AND THE RHINELAND DECREE.

It is reported, says a Berlin telegram, dated Monday, that the Government will to-day present a protest in Paris against the *Entente's* Rhineland decree, which is alleged to contain "extraordinarily far-reaching restrictions for the population," and to be in some respects in contradiction to the Peace Treaty.

THE AUSTRIAN WARSHIPS.

According to a Toulon message, dated Tuesday, it is learned that the masters of the tugs sent to Cattaro to bring to Bizerta the warships handed over by Austria to the Allies found these vessels in an unsatisfactory condition. They state that these warships, which include three battleships, four destroyers, and twelve torpedo boats, have been damaged, and can only be repaired with difficulty.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

In a message, dated Washington, Tuesday, Reuter's Correspondent says:—President Wilson has issued his invitations for the first meeting of the Council of the League of Nations, to be held in Paris on Friday. The United States will not be represented at the meeting.

Reuter's Paris Correspondent telegraphs:—The first meeting of the Executive Council of the League of Nations will be held on Friday at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. M. Leon Bourgeois will represent France, Lord Curzon Great Britain, Signor Scialoja Italy, M. Hymans Belgium, Senor Guinnones de Leon Spain, M. Venezelos Greece, Viscount Chinda Japan, and the Brazilian Ambassador Brazil. A Commission will be appointed on January 16 to settle the boundaries of the Saar Basin.

THE ALLIED WAR COUNCIL.

The *Echo de Paris* learns that the British, French, and Italian Governments have decided to extend the powers of the Allied War Council at Versailles. In future the advice of Marshal Foch and his colleagues, who have hitherto dealt only with the application of the Peace Treaty, will be sought on all questions of general interest.

THE REPARATIONS COMMISSION.

Reuter's Paris Correspondent writes:—The Reparations Commission, which has to assure the application of Article 8 of the Treaty of Versailles, will begin its work in a few days at the Hotel Astoria. The extent and importance of the deliberations can be seen when it is said to be estimated that the amount to be demanded will exceed three hundred milliard francs. Each nation will draw up its separate claims for reparation, which will be studied and estimated, and finally presented by the Commission to Germany. Germany will have no right of discussion—she can only make observations for the decision of the Commission, which must be accepted and put into execution.

PRAISE OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Lord Robert Cecil and Mr. Arthur Henderson were the principal speakers at Widnes last night at a meeting held under the auspices of the League of Nations' Union.

Lord Robert Cecil said that the League had now passed the preliminary stage, and had come into existence. This was a great fact in history, something which many of the best thinkers and the best men in times past had longed to see. They deeply regretted the absence of the United States, not only because they were anxious for the strength and power of that great country, but because we recognised that, in forming the public opinion of the world, we cannot afford to do without American opinion. He had seen it stated that the Covenant was not elastic enough. He did not see how it could be more elastic.

Mr. Henderson said that in international affairs the Labour Party regarded Lord Robert as an ally. When the time came they would find him on the floor of the people's Parliament as the champion of revision.

LEGION OF HONOUR FOR MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

On behalf of the French Government, says a Paris telegram, M. Clemenceau has requested the permission of King George to decorate Mr. Lloyd George with the Grand Cordon of the Legion of Honour.

BELFAST POOR RATE.

A PROSPECTIVE POOR RATE OF 2s. 6d.

A special meeting of the Belfast Board of Guardians was held yesterday to consider the estimate and demand for the coming year. The Clerk stated that the estimated expenditure till 31st March, 1921, was £158,673, which, with the debit balance of £9,950, brought the total liabilities up to £168,623. The receipts amounted to £5,680, leaving the amount required at £162,943.

Mr. David Adams, J.P., Chairman of the Finance Committee, in moving the adoption of the estimate, pointed out the great increase in the cost of food, etc., ranging from 200 to 500 per cent. Proceeding, Mr. Adams stated that last year the poor rate struck had been 1s. 8d. in the £. This year they estimated that the demand from the Belfast Corporation would be 8d. over that of last year. If they took it that their poor rate was to be 1s. 10d. in the £, there would be 9d. in addition, so that the poor rate would not be struck at less than 2s. 6d. or 2s. 9d. in the £. In 1914 the cost of maintaining an inmate in the workhouse was 4s. 9d. per week, while this year it was 13s. 1d.

A MESSAGE FROM THE SEA.

Mr. J. J. Ennis, Golf Links, Rosslare, has discovered on the strand a bottle containing the following message, written on portion of a cigarette packet:—"Ss. St. Margaret, sinking off Hook. Good-bye for ever, my dear friends and relations. I will see you no more on earth. Signed, Sinclair." It will be remembered that the ss. St. Margaret was lost with all hands off The Hook a short time ago.

LAND FOR SAILORS AND SOLDIERS.

The *Dublin Gazette* of last night contained new rules made by the Estates Commissioners under Section 1 of the Irish Land (Provision for Sailors and Soldiers) Act, 1919, with regard to the sale of land by, and to, the Congested Districts Board.

TO-MORROW'S FIRST DUTY—VOTE

HOW TO VOTE.

1. Pick out the candidate you like best, and mark the figure "1" opposite his name.
2. Pick out the candidate you like second best, and mark the figure "2" opposite his name.
3. Pick out the candidate you like third best, and mark the figure "3" opposite his name.
4. Go on picking out the candidates you fancy, and marking figures opposite their names until you do not care at all for those you have not marked.
5. Do not put an X on your paper. Do not put any mark at all on your paper, except the figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, etc., as far as you like against the names of candidates you choose.
6. Note—Plumping for your favourite does not help him in the least.

THE WORKING OF PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION.

A SIMPLE ILLUSTRATION.

(BY ALFRED J. GRAY, JOINT SECRETARY, PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION SOCIETY OF LONDON.)

To-morrow morning every public-minded elector in Ireland will get up early, no doubt, proceed to a polling station, demand a ballot paper from the presiding officer, and withdraw to the customary secret compartment to give his vote. He will find on the official ballot paper a list of the candidates in alphabetical order, with a square space on the left-hand side opposite each name, and at the top of these square spaces the instruction: "Mark order of preference in spaces below." This is not the only official guidance provided as to the manner of voting. The following precise directions will be found in every voting compartment:—

The voter in order to give his vote

"Must place the figure 1 opposite to the name of the candidate for whom he votes; and

May also place the figure 2 opposite to the name of the candidate he likes second best, and place the figure 3 opposite to the name of the candidate he likes third best; and so on."

Note the distinction between the must and the may. An elector must give the figure "1" to some one candidate (and not to more than one), otherwise the vote is not a vote at all; but he has the option of marking in the order of his choice as many other candidates as he likes.

Now this is not a very difficult operation—to read over a list of names (which are presumably known to the elector), to sort them out mentally in the order of one's liking, and to number them off with the figures "1," "2," "3," etc. Some one has said that anyone who backs horses for places can vote under this system easily enough. Possibly not every voter has acquired experience in this fashion. But, at any rate, the task is not too great for the average man or woman. Yet, to those unfamiliar with the system, certain hesitations remain. One hears a voter say: "Of course I can number off the candidates, but I am not quite sure why I am asked to do it. For instance, how many names should I vote for? Again, suppose my ward returns eight councillors, and my party offers three out of fifteen candidates, should I give preference for three, or for eight, or should I have to number off the whole fifteen?"

Perhaps these questions will answer themselves if the elector will have the patience to read further. The principle on which the system works is that if a vote is not required for one candidate, it can be transferred from him to another, who is more likely to profit by it. The transfer of the vote is entirely controlled by the elector, who, in marking his preference, gives very explicit instructions as to where his vote is to go, and these instructions are carried out to the letter.

The manner in which the system works may be illustrated by imagining what an elector would do to get the fullest effect for his vote, if he could actually see for himself where that vote was most required. Suppose thirty-seven voters—we take small figures for simplicity—have to elect a committee of three, and the following six candidates offer themselves for election—namely, Desmond, John and Joseph; Samuel, Seumas, and Stephen. The two J's form a party, as do the three "S's," and Desmond is a party by himself. The candidates take their stand, say, in Phoenix Park, and invite their supporters to come round them. Now a perfect representation would be obtained if the thirty-seven voters grouped themselves in three approximately equal groups, each supporting one particular candidate. But the electors do not effect this grouping at the first trial. The first result is in fact as follows:—

Stephen	13
Joseph	11
John	5
Desmond	4
Seumas	3
Samuel	1
Total	37

THE QUOTA.

At this point we must ask how many votes makes a candidate sure of election. In a contest for three seats, the number, known as the "Quota," is one more than a fourth of all the votes—in the above case, ten. It is easy to see that this is correct, as if three candidates get ten votes each, no other can have more than seven, so the three with ten supporters must be elected. If there had been five seats to fill, the quota would have been one more than one-sixth of the valid votes polled.

HOW SURPLUS VOTES ARE DISTRIBUTED.

Stephen and Joseph are elected, and have votes to spare. There are three voters whose votes are not required for Stephen, so an opportunity is given for three voters to leave Stephen's group and go to any other candidate they wish. Now here arises one of the niceties of the system. The elector may rightly say that it makes a difference which three voters pass from Stephen's group. It is found that Stephen's supporters are divided in opinion into two sub-groups, one of nine voters who want to support Seumas as next preference to Stephen, and one of four voters who want to support Samuel as next preference to Stephen. As these numbers are practically in the proportion of two to one, it is just to allow two from the sub-group of nine to pass on to Seumas, and one from the sub-group of four to pass on to Samuel. This is accordingly done, and the remainders, seven and three, making altogether ten, form the group of voters whose votes secure the election of Stephen.

Joseph's surplus of one vote goes to his colleague, John, and the state of the election is now as follows:—

Stephen	10 votes	(elected)
Joseph	10 votes	(elected)
John	6 votes	
Seumas	5	
Desmond	4	
Samuel	2	
Total	37	

Nobody has now votes to spare, so Samuel, who is at the bottom, is declared out of the running. His two supporters pass on to their next preference, Seumas, giving him a total of seven. Desmond is now at the bottom of the poll. Evidently it is going to affect the result how his supporters decide to give their further preferences. They go to Seumas, and he becomes, therefore, with eleven votes, the last elected candidate.

The final result is:—

Stephen	10	(elected)
Joseph	10	(elected)
Seumas	11	(elected)
John	6	(runner-up)

The above example illustrates with some degree of precision the effect of the transferable vote and of the marking of preferences. The elector is not required to vote publicly in a park, but by marking his papers for the candidates he prefers in the order of his choice he shows the returning officer to whom to transfer his vote, in the event of the first candidate voted for not being able to use it.

Two difficulties which frequently beset the elector's mind may be discussed from the point of view of the illustration. First—Does plumping pay?

Let us take it that the seventeen voters who supported the S. group are more or less members of a party. They prefer any of the S.'s to all the others. But if the thirteen supporters of Stephen had given no further preferences, three votes not needed for Stephen would have been lost to the party. It does not make Stephen more secure to withhold the preferences from the others. He would have been elected in either event. So in the case of Samuel, who was eliminated as being at the bottom of the poll. He must get struck off whether his supporters give preferences to the others or not. Hence this rule:

Don't plump. You gain nothing for your favourite, and it may be a loss to your party.

A second difficulty is—Should a voter give preferences outside his party?

Consider the supporters of Desmond. They gave preferences outside their party (which was Desmond). They did not do him any harm, but they exercised a legitimate influence on the poll. Having failed to secure the election of their favourite, they helped to elect Seumas, whom they preferred to John.

Hence the second rule may be given:

Go on marking preferences as long as you can find a candidate whom you definitely prefer to the others you have not marked. You cannot injure your earlier choices, and your vote may help to keep out one of those you dislike most.

DUBLIN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

LIST OF CANDIDATES.

The following is a list of candidates for election in the various municipal electoral areas in Dublin:—

Ref. indicates Municipal Reform candidates; Un. Unionist; S.F. Sinn Fein; Nat. Nationalist; I. Nat. Independent Nationalist; Lab. Labour; I. Lab. Independent Labour; Ind. Independent; Soc. Socialist.

No. 1 ELECTORAL AREA—ARRAN QUAY (9 SEATS).

Ashton, Anne Eliza, Midwife (S.F.).
Derrington, John Joseph, Machinist (I. Lab.).
Farren, John, Treasurer, Trades' Council (Lab.).
Kavanagh, Thomas, Provision Merchant (N.).
Keogh, John, Merchant (N.).
Logue, Dermot, General Secretary, Clerical Workers' Union (Lab.).
McGough, Eugene, Gentleman (Ref.).
M'Hugh, Michael, Compositor (S.F.).
M'Intyre, Patrick, Ironmoulder (S.F.).
Nolan, Thomas Francis, District Manager New Ireland Assurance Society (S.F.).
O'Reilly, Thomas Patrick, Organiser, Irish Transport Union (Lab.).
Paul, William, Tea Buyer (S.F.).
Rooney, Thomas, Merchant (Nat.).
Staines, Michael, Chairman, New Ireland Assurance Society (S.F.).

No 2 ELECTORAL AREA—CLONTARF EAST AND WEST, DRUMCONDRA AND GLASNEVIN (8 SEATS).

Brady, James, Solicitor (I.N.).
Clark, James Hubbard, Contractor, Justice of the Peace (Ref.).
Daly, Daniel, Builder (N.).
Dinnage, William Thomas, Gentleman (Un.).
Foley, John, Secretary and Accountant (Ref.).
Loughlin, Thomas, Outfitter (S.F.).
MacAvin, John Patrick, Commercial Agent (I. Nat.).
MacCaoilte, Sean, Commercial Traveller (S.F.).
McCarthy, William, Alderman and Chemist (Un.).
McCrea, Patrick, Commercial Traveller (S.F.).
McGarry, Sean, Electrical Engineer (S.F.).
McKeane, Mary Josephine, Married Woman (S.F.).
Maher, Michael, Cowkeeper and Dairyman (Ind.).
Manning, John, Engineer (Lab.).
Monks, Christopher, Dairyman and Farmer (N.).
Moran, James, Alderman and Director of Public Company (Ref.).
Moran, Michael James, Draper (Ref.).
O'Shea, John Patrick, Secretary and Works Manager (Lab.).
Quaid, David Augustus, Solicitor (Ind.).
Ring, Patrick, Plotholder (Ind.).
Rooney, Robert, Commercial Traveller (S.F.).
Wilson, Catherine Gifford, B.A., Widow (S.F.).

No. 3 ELECTORAL AREA—FITZWILLIAM, MANSION HOUSE, ROYAL EXCHANGE AND SOUTH CITY (9 SEATS).

Atkins, Thomas Richard, Manager (Ref.).
Beattie, Sir Andrew, Deputy Lieutenant (Ref.).
Carpenter, Walter, General Secretary, International Tailors' Union (Soc.).
Clarke, Joseph, Clerk (S.F.).
Corrigan, Patrick William, Alderman (Ind.).
Gallagher, Sir James Michael, Merchant (Ref.).
Giles, Patrick Joseph, Wholesale Grocer (S.F.).
Higgins, John Joseph, Grocer and Spirit Merchant (I. Nat.).
Hynes, Owen, General Secretary, Bricklayers' Union (Lab.).
Kelly, Thomas (Alderman) (Secretary S.F.).
Perkins, Christopher Robert, Coach Builder (I. Nat.).
Raul, Lawrence, Tobacconist (S.F.).
Sheehy Skeffington, Hanna, Teacher (S.F.).
Stritch, John Russell, Solicitor and Swedish Consul (Un.).
White, Michael Joseph, Insurance Agent (Lab.).

No 4 ELECTORAL AREA—INNS QUAY AND ROTUNDA (10 SEATS).

Brennan, James, Shopkeeper and Superintendent Irish National Assurance Co. (S.F.).
Delany, William Patrick, Victualler (Nat.).
Dowling, Michael, Tobacconist and Newsagent (S.F.).
Duffy, Patrick Joseph, Painting Contractor (Nat.).
Egan, Anne, Hotel Keeper (Ref.).
Farrell, Joseph, Organiser, Amalgamated Painters' Trade Union (Lab.).
Flanagan, Michael, Secretary, Dublin Typographical Provident Society (S.F.).
Grierson, James, Gentleman (Ref.).
Larkin, Joseph Charles, Merchant (Lab.).
Lawlor, John, Cab and Car Proprietor (Lab.).
O'Doherty, Kathleen, Married Woman (S.F.).
O'Hara, William Joseph, Wine Merchant (Nat.).
O'Kelly, John Thomas, General Secretary, Gaelic League (S.F.).
O'Mahony, John, Commercial Traveller (S.F.).
O'Neill, Laurence, Lord Mayor of Dublin (Ind.).
Power, Jennie Wyse, Married Woman (S.F.).

No. 5. ELECTORAL AREA.—MERCHANTS' QUAY (7 SEATS).

Bohan, John, Trade Union Official (Lab.).
Brooks, Edward, Boiler-maker and Shipbuilder (N.).
Gordon, Patrick, Turf Merchant and Boatowner (S.F.).
Harrison, Sarah Cecilia, Spinster (Ind.).
Herbert, Thomas Dudley, Fitter (Lab.).
Lowe, Arnold, Shopkeeper (S.F.).
MacDonagh, Joseph, Income Tax Expert (S.F.).
McGarry, Margaret, Married Woman (S.F.).
Mooney, Joseph Patrick, Merchant (S.F.).
Neill-Watson, Henry Cecil, Laundry Proprietor (Ref.).
O'Connor, William, Merchant (Nat.).
Reid, John, Bootmaker (S.F.).
Vaughan, James, Merchant (Nat.).
Walsh, Patrick, Silkweaver (S.F.).
White, Richard Henry, Printer (Lab.).

No. 6. ELECTORAL AREA.—MOUNTJOY (7 SEATS).

Briscoe, Joseph Niall Coghlan, General Secretary, Town Tenants' League (Nat.).
Byrne, John, Electrician (S.F.).
Chase, William, Merchant (I. Nat.).
Clarke, Kathleen, widow (S.F.).
Mahon, Patrick Vincent, General Printer (S.F.).
O Maoilfhinn, James, Provision Merchant (S.F.).
O'Shea-Leamy, Lillie, Shopkeeper (S.F.).
Sherlock, Lorcan George, Sub-Sheriff (Nat.).
Slater, Michael, Brass Finisher (Lab.).
Toomey, Joseph, Engineer (S.F.).
Weldrick, Mary, Lady of Independent Means (Ind.).

No. 7. ELECTORAL AREA.—NEW KILMAINHAM AND USHER'S QUAY (9 SEATS).

Cosgrave, William Thomas, Councillor of Dublin Corporation (S.F.).
Donaghy, Christopher, Grocer (S.F.).
Doran, John, Insurance Agent (S.F.).
Doyle, Peter John, Mechanical Engineer (S.F.).
Fitzpatrick, Andrew, Electrician (Lab.).
Groome, John, Merchant (Nat.).
Keegan, Laurence, Mechanical Engineer (Lab.).
Kelly, John Saturnus, General Secretary, Irish Railway Workers' Union (Ind. Lab.).
Kelly, Mrs. Mary Catherine, Dressmaker (Lab.).
Lynch, Michael, Gaelic Teacher (S.F.).
McGrath, Joseph, Manager Transport Workers' Union (S.F.).
Magee, Daniel, Secretary Municipal Employes' Union (Lab.).
Medlar, Patrick, Funeral Undertaker (Nat.).
O'Connor, John, Transport Worker (Lab.).
Shields, Bernard Francis, Professor of Commerce (Ref.).

No. 8 ELECTORAL AREA—NORTH CITY AND NORTH DOCK (8 SEATS).

Brohoon, Michael, Inspector, Transport Workers' Union (Lab.).
Byrne, Alfred, Manufacturers' Agent. (Nat.).
Cahill, Francis, School Teacher (S.F.).
Daly, Patrick Thomas, Secretary Dublin Trades' Council (Lab.).
Fox, James Joseph, Farm Manager and Councillor (Nat.).
Gately, James, Auctioneer (Nat.).
Graham, Robert, Marine Engineer (S.F.).
Healy, Thomas, Labourer (Lab.).
Higgins, James, Shopkeeper (Nat.).
Lambert, Thomas Drummond, Veterinary Surgeon (Ref.).
Lawless, James Vincent, Assistant Accountant (S.F.).
Leahy, Thomas, Rivetter (Lab.).
McDonnell, Patrick, Shipping Clerk (S.F.).
McWalter, James Charles, Doctor of Medicine (N. and Ref.).
Mallon, James, Hairdresser (S.F.).
Mullen, Michael, Trades Union Clerk (Lab.).
O'Doherty, John, Victualler (Nat.).
O'Reilly, Thomas, Labour Organiser (Lab.).
Stanley, Joseph Michael, Printer and Publisher (S.F.).
Walker, Mary, Spinster (S.F.).

No. 9 ELECTORAL AREA—WOOD QUAY WARD (6 SEATS).

Byrne, Michael Thomas, Forage Merchant (Nat.)
Clarke, Kathleen, Widow (S.F.).
Cragh, Michael Joseph, Machinist (S.F.).
Grace, John, Pump Manufacturer (S.F.).
Keavey, Michael, General Labourer (Lab.).
Kennedy, Thomas, Trades Union Official (Lab.).
Lawlor, Thomas, Trades Union Official (Lab.).
McCabe, William, Cold Storage and Ice Merchant (Ind.).
McGuirk, Patrick, Clerk (Lab.).
Murphy, John Joseph, Newsagent (S.F.).
Scully, Michael Christopher, Electrician (S.F.).

No. 10 ELECTORAL AREA—TRINITY AND SOUTH DOCK (7 SEATS).

Cassidy, Thomas, Coachbuilder (Lab.).
Farrell, John, Coal Labourer (S.F.).
Irwin, Sir John, Paper Manufacturer, and Justice of the Peace (Ref.).

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SPECIAL EXTRA.

KAISER'S ADVICE TO THE TSAR.

HOW TO GAIN POPULARITY.

To-day's instalment of the Kaiser's letters to the Tsar, published in the *Morning Post*, consists of one long communication, dated February 21st, 1905, in which the Kaiser, taking as his text the assassination of the Grand Duke Sergius at Moscow, diagnoses the causes of the revolutionary movement, and suggests the remedy. He presented it as a "Little sketch of the reflected Russian picture as seen from outside," which "might, perhaps, be of some interest to you in your solitude at Tsarskoe," and asked in advance for forgiveness if he, as a loyal and devoted friend, was obliged to record opinions which might seem to the Tsar harsh or hurt his feelings.

After pointing out to the Tsar the dangers of unpopularity with the masses, the Kaiser lectured him severely on the Japanese War, saying that the common consensus of opinion in Europe was that the Tsar was solely responsible for the outbreak and lack of preparation, that thousands of bereaved and forsaken families lay their blood and complaints at the steps of the Tsar's Throne, while thousands of reservists, called from their homes to fight for an unpopular cause, leaving their families slowly sinking into poverty and misery, lay their anguish and their cares at the door of the Tsar's Palace. The Tsar was considered to be responsible for the reverses sustained by an unprepared Army, and the fearful losses of the Navy were also shouldered upon him.

After dwelling upon the fearful and heavy load which a ruler had to bear in willing an unpopular war, the latter proceeded:—"These words must seem very strange to you, and I shall hear you ask with astonishment, 'The war unpopular! Impossible!' I can only answer that the amount of private correspondence received in France leaves no doubt that it is so. The war is very unpopular with all classes in Russia, officers not excepted, especially as victories have up to now been denied to the Russian arms."

As a solution for this condition of affairs, which jeopardised the chances of victory, The Kaiser hinted that the Tsar himself might take over the command from Kuropatkin, and restore the confidence of his troops by sharing their hardships. The Tsar was reminded that his forefathers before they went to war repaired to Moscow, prayed in the old churches, and then, announcing to the assembled people the necessity for war, called upon their loyal subjects to follow them to the battlefield. Such a call from the Kremlin in Moscow never failed to find a response from the Russian nation, and the Kaiser attributed Moscow's disaffection to the slight she felt at the Tsar's failure to follow a similar course. To placate Moscow the Kaiser suggested that the Tsar should proceed there, and, assembling the notables, announce his decision about the Army, that if he thought it possible to go himself and exhort them to abstain from internal quarrels until the enemy was routed, then encouraged by the clergy, with banners, crosses, incense, and holy ikons, he should read the same speech from the Palace balcony to his assembled loyal subjects, encircled by troops, and his popularity would be recovered.

THE STATE OF IRELAND.

The *Morning Post* says:—"The fact is that Ireland is in a state of open and murderous rebellion, for which the British Government are directly responsible. To maintain law and order and to protect life and property are the first duties of a Government, and no Administration which fails in the execution of that duty can long continue to hold office. In face of a powerful Opposition, the Government would not dare to pursue their fatal policy of expediency. It is now some time since the Lord Chancellor announced that the Government had determined to enforce the law in Ireland at any cost. Since that valiant statement, the condition of Ireland has become steadily more ungovernable. The Government, in fact, have not attempted to fulfil their pledge. Lord Birkenhead has recently discovered that the Coalition is 'invertebrate.' Nevertheless, in common with other Unionists, as they are called, he continues to share in the responsibility for the condition of affairs which directly violates the main principles of Unionism. If the Government intend to confer independence upon Ireland, let them say so in plain terms, and, in so doing, save a further useless expenditure of lives of loyal citizens."

DUBLIN CASTLE BLUNDERS.

In a leading article, the *Daily Mail* says:—The public here and in Ireland are waiting with growing impatience for the Government's explanation of their summary dismissal of Sir J. Byrne, the popular head of the R.I.C. The circumstances related by our Special Correspondent in to-day's *Daily Mail* suggest that there has not been fair play. In Ireland men of opposing parties have combined to pay tribute to the ability and popularity of Sir J. Byrne. The rank and file of the R.I.C., in whose interests he has worked so hard, have been among the first to register their protest at his treatment. If the Government have, indeed, good reason for their action, why do they not say so? Irish opinion is already strongly against them. Do they propose to let this grave matter go by default? The Irish Executive is suspect of being under strongly coercionist influences, and of having no use for men of moderate views. Callous and high-handed treatment of one who has been proved to enjoy a wide measure of respect among his fellow-countrymen must further alienate sympathy from Dublin Castle.

PRESIDENT WILSON AND THE LEAGUE.

Reuter's Washington Correspondent says:—The text of President Wilson's call for the assembly of the Council of the League of Nations has been published. The President says that the meeting of the Council will mark the beginning of a new era of international co-operation and the first great step towards the ideal of a concert of nations. President Wilson's call, which is addressed to the *Entente* and other countries which are interested in the League, says that it will bring the League of Nations into being as a living force, which will be devoted to the task of assisting the peoples of all countries in their desire for peace, prosperity, and happiness. The President is convinced that its progress will be in accord with the noble purpose to which it is dedicated.

LORD LONSDALE THROWN.

The London *Daily Express* says:—A serious accident occurred to the Earl of Lonsdale while he was hunting with the Cottesmore Hounds. His horse caught its legs in some rabbit wires. Lord Lonsdale was thrown heavily.

RACING SELECTIONS.

TENBY HUNT MEETING.

(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)
Licensed Victuallers' Hurdle—Brunswick.
Grove Steeplechase—Shaccabac.
Wroughton Steeplechase—W.W.
Town Steeplechase—Ballymendel.
Victory Hurdle—Little Milford.

(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)
Licensed Victuallers' Hurdle—Shaccabac.
Grove Steeplechase—Hillock.
Wroughton Steeplechase—Whiteboy.
Town Steeplechase—Ballymendel.
Victory Hurdle—Stick To It.

THE MILK COMMISSION.

WHY GALWAY IS A NON-DAIRYING AREA.

Giving evidence before the Committee on the Decline of Dairying in Ireland at the Courthouse, Galway, yesterday, Mr. R. W. Simmons and Mrs. Young gave details of the work done by the Galway Milk Depôt. The latter said that three hundred of the poorest families in the town were supplied, but this did not in any way cope with the demand.

Mr. J. M. Meldon, Athenry, who has a farm of 300 acres and keeps 30 cows, said that his experience was that the quality of the milk had deteriorated lately. The old Galway cows were the best in the world for good milk. Galway was not a dairying county, and the farmers were too well off to go to extra trouble to make an additional £15 or £20. It was easier to raise stores. Another reason for the shortage of milk was that the farmer did not go in for dairying, because his wife and children did not like milking, and the consequent early rising.

THE RAILWAYMEN'S CLAIMS.

The following statement was issued from the Ministry of Transport yesterday afternoon:—

Mr. J. H. Thomas and other representatives of the N.U.R. met the Minister of Transport and the Minister of Labour at the Ministry of Transport this afternoon, when the representatives of the N.U.R. explained fully the reasons for the rejection of the Government offer. Sir Eric Geddes promised to lay the matter before the Cabinet at once, and it was arranged that he would meet the representatives of the N.U.R. again to-morrow afternoon, when he would be in a position to announce the answer of the Government.

LAWLESSNESS NEAR KILKENNY.

LADIES TERRORISED BY ARMED MEN.

SIX MOTOR CARS HELD UP AND DAMAGED.

Late on Monday night considerable excitement was caused in Kilkenny by the news of the "hold up" at Troyswood, a mile outside the city, by masked men, armed with revolvers, of a number of motor cars and horsed carriages, which were taking ladies and gentlemen to a ball at the house of Captain J. E. St. George, R.M., Kilrush House, Freshford, about ten miles from Kilkenny City. A barricade of large stones was placed across the road.

A horse-drawn carriage was first held up. The driver was directed to get off his box, and the occupants of the carriage were ordered out by a man who pointed a revolver at them. They were taken over a stile into a field by the roadside, and were there placed in a corner under a number of men who held revolvers. The horse and carriage were then drawn across the road alongside the barricade.

A hired motor car, owned and driven by Mr. Cody, High street, Kilkenny, was the next to arrive, and it was halted at the barricade. Mr. Cody and the passengers were ordered into the field, and Mr. Cody was searched for his permit. The engine of the car was next damaged, and the car was turned over on its side. Three other hired cars, owned and driven by Messrs. Kavanagh, Mulrooney, and Turney, came along at short intervals. The drivers and passengers were put along with the other prisoners in the field, while the engines of the cars were being put out of action.

The next cars to approach belonged to Major J. B. Loftus, D.L., J.P., Mount Loftus, and Sir Hercules Langrishe, Bart., Knocktopher Abbey, and they met with a similar fate.

Some of the cars did not pull up immediately when called upon to stop, and several shots were discharged, but no one was injured, though some of the passengers say that the bullets whizzed very near them.

All the parties, who were in evening dress, were huddled together under a ditch while the destruction of the engines was carried out; and some of the ladies were very much frightened. Other horsed carriages came on the scene shortly afterwards, and the raiders decamped, leaving their victims to get home as best they could.

The police were called out, and there was considerable activity during the night. The house of a motor driver, named Joseph Keenan, Walker street, Kilkenny, was searched.

Yesterday morning the six motor cars were lined up on the side of the road, and the engines appeared to have been smashed with some heavy, blunt instrument. In the corner of the field where the drivers and passengers were placed there were remnants of chocolate boxes and cigarette packets.

There have been no arrests in connection with the affair.

ANOTHER MAIL CAR HELD UP.

Yesterday the mail car from Thurles to Kilcommon, leaving Thurles before 6 a.m., was held up at Bachelorshill, about three miles from Thurles, by three masked men, who had revolvers. The mail bags were cut open and searched. Several packages and letters were torn open, and all the letters were scattered about the road. The raiders were evidently on the search for letters containing money, but did not find any, and took nothing away. Before leaving they warned the driver, Patrick Kinane, not to stir for an hour, saying that there were armed men behind the hedges. The driver having collected his packages, returned to Thurles, and left for Kilcommon again a couple of hours after, accompanied by another man.

WOUNDED POLICEMAN'S SERIOUS CONDITION.

Constable Tobin, who was wounded in the attack on the Inchigeela Police Barracks on the 3rd inst., is in a critical condition in the Mercy Hospital in Cork City.

ROUNDSTONE BARRACK AFFAIR.

TWO MEN SENT TO PRISON.

The story of the damage to Roundstone Barrack was told to Messrs. Kilbride and Hill, Resident Magistrates, at Galway Petty Sessions yesterday, when Martin Dundas and John MacDonagh, two ex-soldiers, of Roundstone, were prosecuted for unlawful assembly on the morning of January 6.

Constable O'Donoghoe, who was guard in the barrack, stated that he heard loud noises, as of heavy blows at the door. He pulled back a steel shutter, fired three revolver shots, and the parties left. He identified the two defendants.

To Mr. H. G. Connolly, solicitor, Clifden, who appeared for the defence, the witness said that the accused were about a yard from the door, and he fired at them as accurately as he could.

Sergeant Burke, who lives in a house adjacent to the barrack, said that he was aroused by the noise, and recognised the accused when he looked out. They were abusing the police, who, they said, could not make their living at anything else. Dundas was found under a bed in another man's house when arrested, and remarked: "It is hard lines, and I going away in the morning." The lock of the barrack door was started, and the jamb cracked. He heard one of the accused say, "I wish I had a rifle."

In cross-examination, the witness said that McDonagh took an active part in politics, and he could not give him a good character. Both men were wounded during the war, and Dundas was very violent when he took drink. A great deal of force must have been used on the door.

Mr. Connolly—A sledge hammer, or something like it?

Witness—Something very near it. It might have been done by the heel of a heavy boot.

Mr. Connolly—And you think that a determined attack was made that night?

Witness—Yes.

Mr. Connolly—And you agree that a spirited defence was put up by the police?

Witness—We were bound to do that. The witness added that the accused were lucky men that they were not shot.

Srgeant Kenny said that he saw three men running away. He knew that the accused had been drinking.

Constable Lewis said that five men ran away. They found the accused in the house of a man named Molloy, where the witness had seen one of the five men enter.

For the defence Mr. Connolly described the "Sack of Roundstone" as a reckless attempt at mischief. The defendants had been drinking on the previous evening, and, as they were going home they met some parties close to the barrack, going in the opposite direction. As the accused were passing the barrack shots rang out, and they, feeling that the police were not justified in shooting at them, used abusive language. Drink affected the moral balance of the defendants, who had been discharged from the Army early in the war. Only for the peculiar times through which they were passing, Mr. Connolly added, no importance would be attached to the ridiculous episode.

The accused were sentenced to a month's imprisonment, to date from the time of their arrest.

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Murray, William, Clerk (S.F.).
O'Beirne, Thomas Matty, Brewers' Representative (Nat.).
O'Brien, William, General Treasurer Transport Workers' Union (Lab.).
O'Looney, Jeremiah, Monumental Mason (Lab.).
O'Toole, Lorcan, Insurance Inspector (S.F.).
Power, Patrick, Carpenter (S.F.).
Rainsford, Frederick Turner, Land Agent (Ref.).

RATHMINES AND RATHGAR.

NO. 1 EAST URBAN (4 SEATS).

Carruthers, William Wynne, solicitor (U.).
Hutte, William Munday, land agent (U.).
Moore, Patrick, retired merchant (N.).
Dwyer, James, merchant (S.F.).
Rawell, John, draper (U.).
Lyan, Kathleen, medical doctor (S.F.).
O'Connor, Thomas, merchant (S.F.).

NO. 2 EAST URBAN (7 SEATS).

Anderson, James Campbell, gentleman (U.).
Bolton, Richard Dunne, builder (U.).
Considine, Henry Bonan, medical doctor (U.).
Jackson, physician and surgeon (U.).
Sibthorpe, John, merchant (U.).
Saul, Thomas, builder (Ind.).
Rettle, Mary, widow (N.).
Kent, Frances, widow (S.F.).
Cullen, Thomas, architect (S.F.).
Daly, George, merchant (S.F.).
MacDonagh, Joseph, insurance broker (S.F.).

NO. 1 WEST URBAN (5 SEATS).

McKenzie, John Joseph, solicitor (U.).
Metcalfe, Lucy, gentlewoman (U.).
Firench-Mullen, Madeline, spinster (S.F.).
Doyle, John, engineer (S.F.).
Irvine, George, teacher (S.F.).
Sears, William, newspaper proprietor (S.F.).
O'Malley, Andrew, organizer, manufacturer and merchant (U.).
Kiernan, James Joseph, tobacconist (N.).

NO. 2 WEST URBAN (5 SEATS).

Benson, Robert, director Dartry Dye Works (U.).
Giddings, Frederick W., merchant (U.).
Dixon, Margaret Sherr, M.A. (U.).
Ireland, William, merchant and magistrate (U.).
Slater, Samuel George, contractor (U.).
Boyle, Charles B. W., solicitor (Ind.).
Mundin, Patrick John, architect (N.).
McGrath, Mary Josephine, married woman (S.F.).
Nicolls, Archibald, gentleman (S.F.).
Brennan, Robert, journalist (S.F.).

PEMBROKE.

WEST URBAN ELECTORAL AREA (8 SEATS).

Beckett, William, gentleman (U.).
Brittain, John Wesley, director Swastika Laundry (U.).
Pannin, Michael, dairy proprietor (Ratepayers).
Forsyth, William Mills, insurance manager (Ratepayers).
Goodfellow, Geo. Robt, gentleman and J.P. (U.).
Greene, Michael, building contractor (S.F.).
Humphreys, Mary Hester, gentlewoman (S.F.).
Nolan, John Edward, Transport Worker (Lab.).
O'Connor, Bartholomew, builder (S.F.).
O'Connor, Fergus, publisher (S.F.).
Stafford, Michael, Secretary Coachbuilders' Society (S.F.).
Stokes, Gabriel, Knight Commander of the Star of India (U.).

EAST URBAN ELECTORAL AREA (7 SEATS).

Byrne, Denis, gardener (S.F.).
Chenevix, Helen Sophia, Trade Union Secretary (Lab.).
Curran, Joseph, blacksmith (S.F.).
Dench, George, insurance manager (Ratepayers).
Doyle, Thomas, labourer (Lab.).
Dunbar, Charles Robert, gentleman (U.).
Grinnell, Alice, married woman (S.F.).
Good, John, builder and J.P. (U.).
McGloughlin, Alfred, draughtsman (S.F.).
McMillan, William, shipbuilder, Managing Director Dublin Ship Builders, Ltd. (U.).
Maguire, James, printer (S.F.).
O'Brien, John, chairman (Ind.).
O'Kelly, Christopher, Secretary School Meals Committee, Dublin (S.F.).
O'Leary, Diarmid Joseph, clerk (Lab.).
Ryan, Thomas, victualler (Ind.).

KINGSTOWN.

MONKSTOWN WARD—3 SEATS, 4 CANDIDATES; 673 ELECTORS.

Beatty, Francis Middleton, Schoolmaster (Un.).
Farrell, Patrick, Dairy Proprietor (S.F.).
Kennedy, James Joseph, Chairman U.D.C., Undertaker (Nat.).
Woods, John Kirwan, Solicitor (S.F.).

GLASTHULE WARD—5 SEATS, 11 CANDIDATES; 1,631 ELECTORS.

Cantwell, Josephine, Secretary (S.F.).
Dixon, Thomas, Horse Painter (Lab.).
Drumcoole, Christopher, Carpenter (Lab.).
Falkner, Henry Charles, Merchant, Justice of the Peace (Un.).
Fleming, Albert Mansfield, Contractor (Un.).
Kennedy, Thomas Joseph, Chairman U.D.C., Undertaker (Nat.).
Martin, Henry Joseph, Gentleman (Nat.).
O'Carroll, William J., Bricklayer (Lab.).
Ormsby-Scott, Nicholson, Company Managing Director (Un.).
Potterton, Robert Norman, Solicitor (Un.).
Prunty, Ernest V., Solicitor (S.F.).

WEST WARD—3 SEATS, 14 CANDIDATES; 2,058 ELECTORS.

Desitt, John Michael, Secretary (Nat.).
Good, Thomas Percy, Civil Engineer and Fellow Institute of Surveyors (Un.).
Kelly, Edward, Clerical Worker (Lab.).
Kennedy, James Joseph, Chairman U.D.C., Undertaker (Nat.).
Morrissey, William, Pawnbroker's Assistant (S.F.).
McGovern, Joseph, Carpenter and Joiner (S.F.).
O'Brien, Michael Francis, Merchant (Nat.).
O'Hanlon, Patrick J., Tailor (S.F.).
O'Reilly, Francis J., Baker (Lab.).
Woods, John, Solicitor (S.F.).
Robinson, Henry Thomas Browning, Solicitor (Un.).
Rochford, Christopher, Contractor (Nat.).
Scanlon, William Aquin, Merchant (Un.).
Whelan, Alphonsus, Postman (Lab.).

EAST WARD—5 SEATS, 12 CANDIDATES; 1,758 ELECTORS.

Barry, Ellen, Widow (S.F.).
Byrne, Robert (junr.), Labourer (Lab.).
Cash, Charles Neville, Merchant and Motor Agent (Un.).
Evans, William Arthur, Justice of the Peace (Un.).
Geoghegan, Patrick J., Gentleman (S.F.).
Morrin, Patrick, Physician and Surgeon, and Justice of the Peace (Un.).
Murray, Michael, Justice of the Peace (Nat.).
Neligan, John, Merchant Tailor (S.F.).
O'Sullivan, Denis William, Architect, M.R.I.A.I. (S.F.).
Reddy, Charles Joseph, Solicitor (Ind.).
Reilly, Michael, Labourer (Lab.).
Robinson, Thomas William, Knight, Justice of the Peace (Un.).

BLACKROCK.

BOOTERSTOWN WARD—3 SEATS, 10 CANDIDATES.

Massey, J. H., (Un. and Ratepayers' Rep.).
Wellington, Richard (Un. and Ind.).
McCabe, John F., Chairman U.D.C. (Nat.).
Brady, P. (S.F.).
Devitt, P. (S.F.).
Flynn, John (S.F.).
MacDermott, J. D. (S.F.).
Quigley, Geo. F. (S.F.).
Corcoran, John J. (Jun.) (Nat.).
Garvey, Henry, Retiring Councillor (Nat.).

BLACKROCK, NO. 1, WARD—8 SEATS. 11 CANDIDATES.

Byrne, J. J., Retiring Councillor (Nat.).
Healy, John, Retiring Councillor (Nat.).
Hutton, Patrick, Retiring Councillor (Nat.).
Bolger, Charles (S.F.).
Fox, B. (S.F.).
Gaskin, M. (S.F.).
Hickey, B. (S.F.).
Kelly, C. (S.F.).
O'Keeffe, J. P. (S.F.).
Crawford, Wm. T. (Ind.).
Murphy, Thomas, Retiring Councillor (Ind.).

BLACKROCK, NO. 2, WARD—7 SEATS. 10 CANDIDATES.

Dickinson, Charles (Un.).
Kelly, Arthur H., Auctioneer and Estate Agent (Un.).
Byrne, Samuel, Victualler (Nat.)
O'Reilly, M., Retiring Councillor (Nat.).
Warren, E. W., Building Contractor (Nat.).
McCracken, W. A. (S.F.).
O'Connor, Richard (S.F.).
O'Sullivan, (S.F.).
Russell, J. G. (S.F.).

MONKSTOWN WARD—5 SEATS. 8 CANDIDATES.

Dockrell, Lady Margaret S., Retiring Councillor (Un.).
Dowrick, Thomas H. (Un.).
Stokes, Francis, Justice of the Peace, Retiring Councillor (Ratepayers' Rep.).
Field, William, Retiring Councillor (Nat.).
Hubbard, Morley (Ind., Ratepayers' Rep.).
Mitchell, Albert (Ind., Ratepayers' Rep.).
Wallace, William, Merchant, Justice of the Peace, Retiring Councillor (Ratepayers' Rep.).
Walsh, Joseph (S.F.).

HOWTH.

WEST ELECTORAL AREA (5 SEATS).

Geare, E. J. (U. and Ratepayer).
Keogh, S. J. (N. and Ratepayer).
McHale, Mrs. M. (S.F.).
Nolan, Michael (S.F.).
Shiner, J. E. (U. and Ratepayer).

EAST ELECTORAL AREA (7 SEATS).

Rosen, B. P. (S.F.).
Culverwell, C. (Ratepayer).
Friel, H. J. (S.F.).
Lynch, M. (N. and Ratepayer).
McLoughlin, Peter (Lab.).
Maguire, P. W. (N. and Ratepayer).
Maxwell, Peter (S.F.).
Newcombe, B. J. (U. and Ratepayer).
Rickard, John (S.F.).
Rickard, Mrs. M. (S.F.).

BRAY.

EAST WARD—7 SEATS, 18 CANDIDATES; 1,324 ELECTORS.

Barce, Cormac, Gentleman (S.F.).
Byrne, George, Bricklayer (Lab. and Ratepayer).
Doran, Arthur L., Gentleman (Un. and Ratepayer).

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Frame, David, Merchant (Un. and Ratepayer).
Healley, Robert, Building Contractor (Un. and Ratepayer).
Larkin, James, Engine Driver (Lab.).
Lynch, Joseph, Insurance Agent (S.F.).
Mackey, Joseph A., ex-Army Officer (I. Nat.).
Magee, James M., Solicitor (I. Nat.).
Malley, Herbert J. C., Solicitor (Ratepayer).
McMahon, Thos. F., Commercial Traveller (S.F.).
Plunkett, John, Building Contractor (I. Nat.).
Rountree, Daniel, Medical Practitioner (Nat.).
Scally, Myles, Postman (Lab.).
Traynor, Michael, Car Proprietor (Nat.).

WEST WARD—3 SEATS, 6 CANDIDATES; 880 ELECTORS.

Byrne, Edward, Clerk (Lab.).
Deignan, Simon, Cleshire (N. and Ratepayer).
Earls, William, Painting Contractor (S.F.).
Hoey, James, Assurance Superintendent (S.F.).
Metcalfe, Joseph, Labour Organiser (Lab.).
McNulty, Arthur F., Clerk (Ratepayer).

LITTLE BRAY.

5 SEATS, 9 CANDIDATES; 983 ELECTORS.

Brien, William, Carpenter (Lab.).
Doyle, James, Market Gardener (Ratepayer).
Jordan, James A., Rent Collector (Ratepayer).
Loughlin, Martin, Gentleman (Nat.).
Murphy, John, Carpenter (Lab.).
Mullen, James, Publican (Ratepayer).
Murphy, Patrick, Coach Builder (S.F.).
Rochford, James, Painting Contractor (S.F.).
Waldron, Patrick J., Watch Maker (S.F.).

DALKEY.

SOUTH WARD—7 SEATS, 12 CANDIDATES.

Bowman, Joseph, Engineer (S.F.).
Brazil, Charlotte, Widow (S.F.).
Byrne, Thomas, Bricklayer (S.F.).
Coghlan, Christopher, Accountant (S.F.).
Gordon, Lucy, Jam Manufacturer (S.F.).
Judd, Michael Francis, Merchant (Nat.).
Kavanagh, John, Builder and Contractor (S.F.).
McGeown, Charles, Gentleman (Nat.).
Mulhall, John, Tram Conductor (Lab.).
Somers, Charles Daniel, Merchant (S.F.).
Troston, William, Painter (Lab.).

NORTH WARD—5 SEATS, 8 CANDIDATES.

Bowman, Joseph, Engineer (S.F.).
Brazil, Charlotte, Widow (S.F.).
Byrne, Thomas, bricklayer (S.F.).
Hawkins, Thomas, Railway Foreman (Lab.).
Farrell, Loughlin Joseph, Insurance Agent (Lab.).
Kavanagh, John, Builder and Contractor (S.F.).
Quirk, John Carpenter (Nat.).
Somers, Charles Daniel, Merchant (S.F.).

KILLINEY.

SOUTH WARD—7 SEATS, 15 CANDIDATES.

Purcell, Pierce F. (Retiring Councillor).
Maher, William (Retiring Councillor).
Pemberton, Hy. (Retiring Councillor).
Browne, George, Deputy Lieutenant (Retiring Councillor).
Keegan, Edward (Ratepayers' Representative).
Gibbings, Mrs. (Ratepayers' Representative).
Beteson, Miss, Solicitor (Lab.).
Bradshaw, Edward (Lab.).
Murray, W. (Lab.).
Kelly, Thomas (Lab.).
Higgins, M. (Lab.).
Richardson, A. (Lab.).

NORTH WARD—5 SEATS, 8 CANDIDATES.

Ward, Joseph, Justice of the Peace (Retiring Councillor).
Ithreys, gentlewoman (S.F.).
Ormsby-Hamilton, A. H., Deputy Lieutenant (Retiring Councillor).
Meagher, Reginald T., Gentleman, and Chairman U.D.C. (Retiring Councillor).
Ashlin, S. M. (Ratepayers' Representative).
Orr, A. W. (Ratepayers' Representative).
Noctor, Peter (Lab.).
Harmon, G. (Lab.).
Montgomery, F. (Lab.).

THE ELECTIONS AT YOUGHAL.

If the list of candidate furnishes any index to the possibly interesting results of to-morrow's elections, Youghal Urban District Council will certainly furnish a result absent worth examination. Not alone are there 60 candidates for 24 seats, but the composition of the list of candidates is extremely varied. While nine Sinn Fein and 12 Labour aspirants are in the field, there are no less than 30 representatives of independents. Among these groups are 15 representatives of the local "Comrades of the Great War" Organisation, while a ratepayers' organisation supplies 14 candidates.

RELIGIOUS QUESTION RAISED IN ENNISKILLEN.

The Enniskillen Municipal elections, for which there are Unionist, Nationalist, Sinn Fein, and Labour candidates, have taken an unusual turn. The Labour Party, in fairness, nominated two Protestant and two Roman Catholic candidates, and should these be returned there will be a Protestant majority on the Council. The official Nationalists have joined forces with the Sinn Feiners, and an appeal has been made to the Roman Catholic electors to vote only for Roman Catholic candidates and ignore the two Protestant Labourites.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—On Thursday, under a new method, the electors throughout Ireland will be called upon to select their municipal and urban representatives for a three years' term. Thousands of electors, many of them recording a vote for the first time, do not know how they should vote. May I ask them not to vote as individual candidates invite them, but to follow the advice given by Mr. Bishop of Galway to his parishioners on the eve of the 1911 elections? If his advice was sound then, of how much greater importance is it to-day, with Dublin City rates standing at 17s., and when are we going to get relief? Corporations, who should know, that (as a result of their management) these rates will be 20s. in a few weeks' time.

You published his lordship's advice in your issue of January 3rd, 1911. May I, as one deeply interested in the welfare of Ireland in general, and of Dublin in particular, ask you to republish it now?—Yours, etc.,

F. PIERCE BRADSHAW.

Mount Temple, Clontarf, Dublin,
January 13th, 1920.

(In the course of the address, to which Mr. Bradshaw refers, Dr. O'Dea said:—"Their municipal representatives had very important duties to discharge, duties which affected the welfare of the whole community, and which required the attention of men of capacity, who would diligently study the problem of how to conduct the affairs of the town to the best advantage of the community. Unless the men who held such positions were honest they could not properly discharge their duties in the public interest. If they looked only to the interests of themselves, their families, and their friends, they were running counter to the usual characteristics of honest men. It was the duty of the voters to support candidates, not because they were friends or customers, or because of personal popularity, but solely on the grounds of merit. . . . Let the voters select worthy men. Only candidates who were capable, faithful in the discharge of their duties, upright and honest, were justified in trying to capture the votes of the electors. . . . All over the world it was said that Ireland was wanting in civic virtues. In the interests of Christianity and religion they should set an example of honesty in public life. It would be a sad thing if Ireland did not set an example of what our people could do in the way of selecting honest, true-minded, public men, who could manage her affairs faithfully.")

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—So far as I know, the Rathmines Urban District Council is the only municipal body that rigidly excluded political or sectarian matters in the administration of the township, and I, therefore, believe that the candidates seeking re-election, and those joining them, are worthy of our confidence and support. I would advise all voters having an interest in the welfare of the township to vote for their election. This will guarantee fair play for all the inhabitants. They have probably done more for the working classes in the way of housing than other municipalships. They have kept the streets and roads in excellent order, and have given a good and abundant water supply, and still the rates are not excessive—in fact, they are comparatively moderate.—Yours, etc.,

ARCHIBALD ROBINSON.

22 Palmerston Park, Rathmines,
Dublin, January 13th, 1920.

NEW ISSUES.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA GOVERNMENT 5½ PER CENT. STOCK.

The London and County and Westminster Bank and branches will receive subscriptions for £1,500,000 Western Australia Government 5½ p.c. Inscribed Stock at 96, with interest payable March and September. The usual sinking fund of ½ p.c. per annum is provided for, and the loan will be fully redeemed in 1940, drawings beginning in 1930. The money is required for the construction of railways and tramways, harbour and river works, water supply and sewerage, development of goldfields and agriculture, and other purposes. The Stock is, of course, a trustee investment, and will, no doubt, meet with the same favour accorded to recent Colonial issues. The share list will close on or before Monday next. (Prospectus page 9.)

GEMSAH OIL REEFS, LTD.

This oil company has a capital of £150,000 in £1 ordinary shares, all issued. The company was formed to acquire and develop two oil properties—(1) an area of eight square kilometres close to the Gemsah property of the Anglo-Egyptian Oilfields, and (2) a property in the Sinai Peninsula, of the same extent, on the borders of the Gulf of Suez, and both have been favourably reported on. Drilling plant has been purchased, and operations to prove both areas will commence as soon as the machinery arrives on the properties. The company has £50,000 in hand, and this is considered sufficient for development work. No invitation to subscribe for shares is issued, but the official details given in another column are published in amplification of the statutory statement recently published in London.

LAWLESSNESS IN IRELAND.

(CONTINUED FROM COLUMN 7, PAGE 5.)

RAIDS FOR ARMS IN COUNTY WEXFORD.

A large party of masked men raided the residence of Mr. E. J. M'Quillan, creamery proprietor, Clonard, Wexford, a few nights ago, and carried away a rifle and some rounds of ammunition. On the same occasion a party of raiders, stated to number nine or ten, searched the residence of Mrs. G. J. Lett, Cullentra House, Wexford, but failed to obtain any arms or ammunition.

GUNS STOLEN IN COUNTY WESTMEATH.

On Sunday night two houses at Ballinagore, eight miles from Mullingar, were raided, and a gun was taken in each case. This occurrence has taken place in the same district in which recently the house of Mr. Harry Rich, a local sporting gentleman, was also raided during the night, and a gun and cartridges taken. A few months ago the police in Ballinagore were transferred elsewhere, and the district was left without constabulary guards.

CRIMINAL CONSPIRACY IN KERRY.

COMPENSATION FOR CREAMERY OWNERS.

County Court Judge Dromgoole gave judgments yesterday in the claim of Messrs. J. M. Slattery and Sons for £13,240 compensation for the blowing up of their creamery at Kilquane, Ballymacelligott, and for consequential damages by loss of trade. Mr. Serjeant Sullivan had asked his Honor to amend the original claim so as to enable his clients to prove consequential damages, as the case might go farther.

His Honor said that he thought it right to amend the original claim. The effect of this explosion at the creamery, as stated by Serjeant Sullivan, was to deprive Messrs. Slattery of any interest practically in this creamery, and he suggested that they were entitled to a sum which would represent the entire material value of the creamery and their goodwill in it. His Honor considered that the amount claimed might roughly represent all that. He was satisfied that, for a period of something like four months, it was necessary to keep the same staff employed at the creamery, and the employers were not in a position to utilise that staff to their fullest. He was satisfied that Messrs. Slattery had suffered, and were suffering from the criminal conspiracy going on in that part of the country much greater loss than he could award them compensation for. The substantial part of the loss was not the result of the explosion, but the result of the criminal conspiracy that followed, and was going on. He could not allow Messrs. Slattery the full amount of the damage arising from that criminal conspiracy, as his powers were purely statutory. He made a total award of £5,688, with twelve guineas expenses. He fixed the area of the levy on the townlands agreed to by counsel on both sides.

In a claim by the Causeway Co-operative Creamery Company for £4,874, His Honor awarded £2,333, remarking that the burning in this case took place out of malice to an individual not connected with the creamery, but whose premises adjoined it.

He awarded John Carroll, whose premises adjoined the creamery, £300, and Michael Flaherty, Ardfert, £210 for the burning of a hay shed and hay.

£2,000 CLAIMED IN COUNTY TIPPERARY.

The Tipperary No. 1 Rural Council has received the following notices of claims for malicious injury:—£2,000 by Mr. T. A. Kennedy, Mantle Hill, for the burning of his co-operative store at Golden; £25 for damage to the military rifle range at Ballyglass, Tipperary; and £20 by James Shore, an employé at Mr. Kennedy's co-operative store at Golden, for the destruction of his bicycle during the burning at that place.

£500 FOR THE BURNING OF FLAX AND HAY.

At the Castleblayney Quarter Sessions on Tuesday the hearing was concluded of a claim for £1,000 compensation by George Hamilton Glow, of Derryarilly, Monaghan, for the malicious burning of a barn, a quantity of unscutched flax, and several tons of hay. A decree was given for £500.

THE CARRIGTWOHILL ARRESTS.

The fourteen young men who were arrested in connection with the attack on Carrigtwohill Police Barrack were paraded at the Queenstown Police Barrack yard, with other civilians, yesterday, but the Carrigtwohill police failed to identify any of them, and all were released.

GREAT STORM IN FRANCE.

TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE INTERRUPTED.

A storm of a hurricane force raged in France on Monday night. In Paris nearly all the telephonic communication was interrupted as the result of falling posts carrying the wires. Trees were blown down everywhere, and roofs and chimneys demolished. A number of people were injured.

The hurricane has caused the dislocation of the French telegraphic service. The breakdown is almost complete, but temporary communication has been restored between some towns. On Monday it was virtually impossible to telegraph to England and Germany. It is impossible to say when normal conditions will be resumed.

A message sent from Paris on Tuesday says:—Large numbers of coal in the Paris yards and much material damage done as the result of the hurricane. Many railway lines were temporarily blocked owing to telegraph poles having been blown across them. In Paris the kiosks were blown down, and a chimney pot fell through a roof, injuring five people. The velocity of the wind is estimated at sixty miles per hour.

WRECK OF FRENCH LINER.

MANY LIVES REPORTED LOST.

A Reuter Paris telegram, dated Monday, says:—The liner Afrique, with 465 passengers on board, struck at 3 o'clock this morning off the plateau of Rochebonne, about 32 miles from the Ile de Re, and 50 miles from La Rochelle. When the liner struck she was returning to La Pallice in consequence of damage received during the last night's gale, escorted by the liner Ceylon, which she had summoned by a distress signal. Water at once began to pour in, and the boats were launched. The last message which the Ceylon received from the Afrique was that the crew and passengers were taking to the boats, and after that there was silence.

The Afrique was a steamer of 5,416 gross tons, belonging to the Charteurs Réunis. She was employed in the West African trade, and it is understood that she was outward bound.

The *Matin* reports that the steamer Ceylon on Monday night landed at La Pallice a considerable number of passengers of the Afrique, who will at once be sent to their homes. Some of the saved have also arrived at Port Rochefort.

Owing to interruption in telegraphic communication, the full list of survivors of the Afrique cannot yet be published. Should the number, however, be limited to the 30 saved, as reported on the first news, 450 lives will have been lost. The Afrique had on board 488 persons, consisting of 338 passengers and a crew of 150. The Ceylon and two naval tugs are still searching for any boats and rafts which may still be afloat.

There are four names among the list of the Afrique's passengers which appear to be those of British people—Mr. Daniel Cook, who is believed to be a native of Liverpool; Mrs. Stewart and son, who are also given as Mrs. and Mr. Stewart; and Mr. Ramsbottom. No news of any of these has yet been received here.

It is impossible to secure authentic information regarding the survivors from the Afrique. Besides troops returning to duty, the passenger lists included many women and children. Bishop Alabert and Colonel Fregrard, survivors reaching Bordeaux, are optimistic as to the rescued.

The Charteurs Réunis Company, says a Paris message, issues the following announcement—The Afrique left Bordeaux at seven o'clock on Friday evening for the West coast of Africa. At six o'clock on Sunday morning, when 60 miles North-West of La Coubre, she sent out signals of distress, asking for the assistance of tugs. The liner Ceylon, which left Bordeaux on Sunday for South America, picked up the call, and proceeded to render assistance. Two powerful naval tugs were also despatched from Rochefort. A wireless message received at Bordeaux on Sunday evening, indicated that the Ceylon had found the Afrique, and that both vessels were proceeding in consort to La Pallice. According to the latest news the Afrique was drifting towards the Roche Bonne Bank, and on Sunday night it was thought advisable to abandon the ship, and the crews of the Afrique and the Ceylon at once began the perilous work of transhipping the passengers.

THE DUBLIN STRIKES.

THE CHEMISTS ASSISTANTS.

In view of the settlement of the strike of chemists' assistants in Dublin, which had lasted for six weeks, the pickets have been withdrawn from the streets, and the assistants are to resume work this morning.

Mr. R. J. Kidney, Secretary of the Chemists' Federation, told an *Irish Times* representative yesterday that the Federation had settled with the Assistants' Union, who had officially accepted the terms, but that until they had been signed by the officials of the Union they could not be made public. In reference to a report in a Dublin morning paper, he desired to state that the Federation had always refused to discuss the conditions relating to managers, and that the matter was not dealt with by the Federation at the conference with the Assistants' Union.

Mr. J. E. Payne, organiser to the Assistants' Union, said that the men all over the country had been directed to resume work this morning. The agreement which had been reached was effective only so far as the Federation was concerned, but steps were being taken to effect a settlement with the houses outside the Federation, and it was hoped that in a day or so the dispute would be completely at an end.

It is stated that the following is a summarised version of the terms of settlement:—Strikers to be reinstated; a fifty-hour week—viz.—seven days for males, and 44 hours for female assistants; Sunday labour to be not more than four hours, with the provision that the question be subject to further revision; overtime to be paid at the rate of time and a quarter for the first six hours, and at time and a half for hours over and above six; apprentices to be limited to the extent of one to each employer keeping open shop; a second apprentice may be taken on at the end of two years, if one assistant is employed, and a third apprentice in cases where four or more assistants are employed; and the setting up of an Industrial Council for the regulation and settling of future disputes.

In regard to wages, a minimum has been agreed upon in all grades, and weekly advances made are as follows:—Unqualified chemists' assistants, first and second year apprenticeship, 10s.; third year, 12s. 6d.; fourth year, 15s. Similar advances are conceded qualified assistants.

STRIKE CONTINUES IN LIMERICK.

The agreement come to at the Dublin conference between the Chemists' Employers' Federation and the representatives of the Chemists' Assistants Union, does not apply to the Limerick chemists' assistants, who still remain on strike. The terms which have been agreed to are not considered satisfactory by the Limerick assistants.

DUBLIN GAS WORKERS.

A conference was held at the Ministry of Labour yesterday afternoon between representatives of the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company and of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union regarding the demands for improved conditions of labour by employés of the company, on behalf of about 900 of whom notices to cease work on Saturday had been served. Proposals were made, it is understood, by representatives of the Gas Company, and these proposals will be considered at a mass meeting of the men to be held to-morrow night.

THE MOTOR PERMIT STRIKE.

NO SETTLEMENT IN VIEW.

No change was reported yesterday in the situation brought about in Dublin by the strike of motor drivers and mechanics as a protest against the enforcement of the Motor Permit Order. Pickets again paraded the streets, and were particularly noticeable in the vicinity of the railway termini and the quays.

It was learned at the Mansion House office of the Ministry of Transport in Westmoreland street that there have been no negotiations with Mr. H. G Burgess, the Director-General, since he received the deputation from the Irish Trades Congress and the Dublin Drivers' and Mechanics' Union in reference to the matter. It was also stated that as Mr. Burgess has left Dublin for a couple of days nothing further can be done until he returns.

Yesterday the adjourned conference between the Motor Traders' Association and the Joint Strike Committee appointed by the Trades Union Congress was resumed in the Star Chambers, but no definite decisions were arrived at.

It was stated at the headquarters of the Union yesterday that two delegates who had been in Trim during the past few days had returned, and had reported that, as a result of their efforts, all the motor drivers and mechanics in that town had resumed work, and that motor traffic was at a stand-still.

WANTON DESTRUCTION.

MANY CARS DAMAGED IN SLIGO.

Some consternation prevailed in Sligo when it became known that several local garages had been broken into, and motor cars and lorries damaged. The destructive outrage is believed to have been committed in connection with the protest against the Motor Permits Order, and the attack appears to have been well arranged. Although the police have the matter in hand, there has been no arrest up to the present. At the time of the protest meeting in Sligo against the Permits Order several of the local merchants owning lorries agreed to discontinue their use for a certain time to end, as a matter of fact, did so. Many of the hiring cars were also taken off the road, and with the exception of the Sligo Motor and Engineering Company, none of the local garages let out cars for hire. The actual running of the cars would not appear to be the reason for the outrage, as many of them did not run at all. The "offence" would appear to be that permits had been asked from the authorities for the cars and lorries.

The premises of the Sligo Motor and Engineering Company were broken into, and seven cars, some of them the property of private owners, were dismantled. Three of the cars were more seriously dealt with than the others. One of them was a new "Massey-Harris" car, valued at £480. All the principal parts were taken from this car, the wires cut, the induction pipe removed, and the gears and controls destroyed. Two other cars were similarly dealt with, and the other five had the wires cut, and the principal parts removed. The raiders, having apparently satisfied themselves that the cars were "out of action," proceeded to where the petrol was stored, and destroyed all that they could lay hands on—470 worth. An attack was also made on the depôt of the Anglo-American Company, and 400 gallons of motor spirit destroyed. Since the protest against the Permits Order this company has not used its motor lorries. Their representative in Sligo says that he cannot understand the reason for selecting the depôt for attack.

The garage at the rere of the offices of Messrs. Pollexfen was also broken into, and a Krit car destroyed. Lately Jackson says that the car had not been used for a long time, and that, as a matter of fact, there was no intention of using it. A young man named Patrick Mulligan, who recently purchased a Ford car for hiring purposes, had his garage also broken into, and his car was left utterly useless. In addition to the removal of vital parts, the engine was badly damaged, and the controls put completely out of gear.

The heaviest sufferers are Messrs. Cooke and McNeilly, large bacon curers and wholesale merchants. The garage in which their lorries were stored is quite close to the Wine street police barracks. When the protest was made, Mr. Cooke withdrew the lorries, and only used them with the consent of the Union. The firm's two lorries are now unfit for use. The vital parts having been taken away, the tanks and engines were badly battered, as if with some heavy instrument. One is a Commer and the other an Austin lorry, and neither could be purchased to-day under £1,000. Mr. Cooke's private car was also destroyed. It was one of the number that came in for exceptionally bad treatment at the Motor Engineering Company's premises.

VICTORIA JUBILEE MASONIC ANNUITY FUND.

The annual stated meeting of the Governors of the Victoria Jubilee Masonic Annuity Fund will be held at the Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin, this evening at 8 o'clock, when the report of the scrutineers of the ballot for the election of six annuitants will be read, and the names of the successful candidates will be declared.

CONCERTS AT THEATRE ROYAL.

Two concerts are announced to be held at the Theatre Royal, one on Saturday at 3 p.m. and the other on Sunday at 8 p.m. The following artistes will take part:—Agnes Nicholls; Phyllis Lett, contralto; Gerald O'Brien, tenor; Robert Radford, bass; Nelus, Polish violinist; G. O'Connor Morris, pianist. Seats may now be booked.

SALE OF FRENCH MODELS.

Very dainty and chic French model blouses are being cleared off, at substantially reduced prices, at the Blouse Shop Sale, Sandycove. There is a cosy salon attached for trying on. Any Dalkey tram will leave you at the door.—(Advt.)

Fashionable Intelligence

Prince Arthur of Connaught was better yesterday, and paid a visit to his sister, Lady Patricia Ramsay, and her infant son.

The Marchioness of Carisbrooke gave birth to a daughter yesterday morning at Kensington Palace. Both are doing well.

The Marchioness of Londonderry is at present in the South of France.

The Marchioness of Headfort is at present staying at Cannes.

Viscount Gough has left Lough Cutra Castle, County Galway, for 9 Upper Belgrave street, London, S.W.

Lady Dunsany arrived at Dunsany Castle last week from America. Lord Dunsany, who remained in America for a few days longer, is due home next week.

The Hon. George and Lady Mary Crichton have arrived in London from Crom Castle, where they had been staying for ten days.

Sir Pieter and Lady Stewart Bam are in London. Sir Pieter had hoped to leave for South Africa this month, but has been obliged to defer his departure till the summer.

Sir Michael and Lady O'Loghlen, who have been staying with Sir Michael Murphy at Wyckham, Dundrum, have left for London.

Sir Stanley Cochrane has returned to Woodbrook, Bray, from London.

A marriage has been arranged between Captain Henry Mather Jackson, 9th Lancers, eldest son of Sir Henry and Lady Mather Jackson, of Llantilio Court, Monmouthshire, and Florence, younger daughter of the late Granville W. Gardner, of New York, and of Mrs. Hubert M. Hartigan, of 37 St. James's place, S.W. 1.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place early in February, between Patrick Joseph Quinlan, LL.B., second eldest son of Honorable T. F. Quinlan, K.C.M.G., of Perth, Western Australia, and Ella, second daughter of Doctor Louis A. Byrne and Mrs. Byrne, 50 Merrion square, Dublin.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between John Reginald Grogan, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Grogan, of Moyle, Carlow, and Vera, only daughter of Mr. Pack-Beresford, Fenagh House, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow.

Members of the Dawson Dancing Club please note the first dance will be held at the Elysée Hall, 35 Dawson street, to-night, 9—2.

Exceptional values in Dressing Gowns, Rest Gowns, and Tea Gowns at Switzer's Sale—Grafton street, Dublin.

Holmes' Sale, this and following days—Unprecedented Bargains in all Departments.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 St. George's st.

Salthill Hotel, Monkstown. Proprietors, Royal Hibernian Hotel. Winter terms on application.

Clearance Sale still proceeding at the Siberian Fur Company, 8 Grafton street, Dublin.

Matheson's, 16 Dawson street—Further Reductions in Golf Coats, Sports Skirts, Blouses, Costumes, etc., few days only.

Clearance Sale of Gowns and Millinery, Blouses, etc.—Madame Doyle, Wicklow street.

Evening Gowns, 5½ guineas, at Slyne's Sale, 71 Grafton street.

Suits 5½ guineas, Overcoats 8½ guineas, at Slyne's Sale, 71 Grafton street.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamer—Capt. H. S. Peary, R.E.; Lieut. W. Johnson, Major George M. Dorner, Major Alexander, Sir S. Scrimzeour, Lady Wallscourt, Dr. and Mrs. Pim, Capt. Cecil Cates, D. C. C. Mercier, Denis O'Neil, G. Herbert Langrishe, Lieut. Irwin, Lieut. Hamilton, Sydney J. Edge, Percy F. Edge, Joseph Edge, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jackson, Miss

IRISH ASSOCIATION OF ADVERTISING MEN.

ANNUAL DINNER IN DUBLIN.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR ORGANISATION.

The annual dinner of the Irish Association of Advertising Men was held in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, last evening, when, in the unavoidable absence of Mr. S. G. Haughton, Administrator of the Irish Linen Society, the chair was taken by Mr. Robert Benson, J.P., Chairman of Rathmines Urban Council. There was a good attendance.

After dinner, the toast of "The King" was loyally honoured.

A number of apologies for non-attendance were read, including one from the President (Mr. Haughton), who telegraphed wishing the Association great success, and inviting the members to dine with him at Belfast on the 23rd March.

Mr. E. M. Stephens, in proposing the toast of "The Irish Association of Advertising Men," said that the Association stood for making advertising a real science, and they all looked to a very bright future for an organisation of that kind. They thought that its possibilities were practically unlimited.

Mr. W. Copeland Trimble, J.P., Enniskillen, Chairman of the Association of Irish Provincial Newspaper Owners, in supporting, mentioned that he had that day been appointed a Vice-President of their Association, and he expressed the hope that the bond between the two organisations would lead to increased business in advertising amongst all classes of newspapers in the country.

Mr. A. J. Corrigan, Hon. Secretary of the Association, in responding, said that their Association had a twofold object. They were out to promote advertising of a scientific kind. They were out to make more people advertise in any shape or form, because they were convinced that in more advertising still lay the supreme hope of Irish manufacturers and of their country. (Hear, hear.) It was only by taking advantage of the force of advertising that trade and commerce in any country could be developed to its highest power, and the country which neglected that power must remain impotent in the industrial world. It was by that means that all the large enterprises of the world had been built up, with very few exceptions. They had one big item in their programme for the coming year, and that was affiliation with the Association of Advertising Clubs of the World—a world-wide organisation, to get into touch with which would bring very many advantages to their Association, and help them in many ways. Its one supreme object was truth in advertising. It was out to combat every manifestation of advertising untruth. The second item on their programme was that they hoped this year to start with the educational side of their Association's programme. They had already arranged for six technical lectures, dealing with different aspects of advertising, by persons best fitted to deal with each particular subject. In the autumn it was hoped to take advantage of the Department of Agriculture's offer to establish advertising classes in connection with the Schools of Commerce throughout the country. Those of them who were present two years ago, when the Association was established, would agree that it was never thought then they should have such a gathering as they had that evening.

Mr. William Cassidy (*Belfast Evening Telegraph*), in a humorous speech, proposed the toast of the Dublin and provincial Press and the Dublin Industrial Development Association, and Mr. J. J. Simington, manager, *Irish Times*, responded.

The Chairman, in proposing the toast of "The Ladies," said that he had no doubt that, with the assistance of the ladies, much could be done to tend to the success of the work of the Association.

Mrs. Maude Walshe, in reply, said that the advertiser conferred a benefit on mankind. Advertising linked together the producer and consumer, and was the voice of business. It was refreshing in Ireland to see a body of men with a forward policy, because, with all their virtues, they lacked enterprise. It was a promising sign of the times that the ladies were not excluded. Women, she concluded, might be regarded as the best advertising agencies. (Applause.)

Miss Somers, Secretary of the Dublin Industrial Development Association, also responded, and expressed the hope that the function was the beginning of a happy association, which should be of advantage to Irish industry. (Hear, hear.)

The toast of "The Chairman" was proposed by Mr. W. T. Brewster, manager, *Irish Independent*, and responded to.

During the evening an excellent programme of musical and other selections was gone through, the following taking part:—Messrs. A. J. Thornton, R.I.A.M.; P. J. Gillespie, C. E. McConnell, W. H. Jones, and Edward B. Symmons.

Prior to the dinner the annual meeting of the Association was held, Mr. J. C. M. Eason presiding, when Mr. S. G. Haughton, administrator of the Irish Linen Society, was elected President, and the Council for 1920 appointed as follows:—

Vice-Presidents—R. Benson, J.P.; T. E. Booth, R. H. H. Baird, J.P.; R. Clyde, J.P.; J. C. M. Eason, B.A.; John Good, C. J. Murphy, J. C. Percy, J.P.; C. Thompson, A. H. Tyler, J.P.; W. C. Trimble, J. Crosbie, E. H. Walpole. Hon. Secretary, A. J. Corrigan; Hon. Treasurer, W. E. Fennett. Elected members—Belfast—W. Cassidy, J. Dalzell, V. E. Salter, J. H. O. Strick, F. Strain, B. Turner, J.P., C. E. White. Cork—J. Magrath. Dublin—L. C. Blennerhassett, R. A. Bolton, W. E. Dennett, T. A. Grehan, P. J. Gillespie, C. E. McConnell, and J. Malone.

Y.M.C.A. ENTERTAINMENT.

The Y.M.C.A. provided a most enjoyable entertainment for the patients of the Orthopædic Hospital in the Y.M.C.A. Hut in the grounds of the hospital at Blackrock on Friday. There were several long rows of tables attractively laid out with flowers and evergreens, and abundance of eatables. At a given signal 200 broken and maimed heroes filed in and took up positions at the table. The lady workers were kept busy looking after the needs of the men. After tea the room was cleared, and numerous amusing competitions were gone through, for which prizes were offered. After the distribution of prizes and a short speech from Mr. West, Sergt. Newman proposed a vote of thanks to the hut staff and lady helpers, and the evening was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

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DUBLIN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

RECORDER AND ASHTOWN OUTRAGE.

THE GLASS-BREAKING MANIA.

The Criminal Sessions for the City and County of Dublin were opened yesterday at the Courthouse, Green street, Dublin, by the Right Hon. the Recorder.

His Lordship, addressing the City Grand Jury, said that the calendar was normal, and merely mirrored the class of crime inseparable from the concentration of great masses. He did not intend to comment on the deplorable conditions with which they all, and all law-abiding citizens, were unfortunately thoroughly familiar. He did, however, on the threshold of the year, desire to express the hope, which he felt they shared, that the peace, order, and freedom from heinous crime formerly so markedly characteristic of their capital might again prevail, with consequent restoration of that good order which was the security of true liberty and progress.

The City Grand Jury, having completed their business, handed to the Recorder a recommendation conveying to his Lordship their appreciation of Constable 41 A (Cafferky) for his courage in arresting Michael Devine at the Kingsbridge after he had been threatened with a pistol.

THE ASHTOWN OUTRAGE.

The County Dublin Grand Jury having been sworn,

The Recorder said that there were six distinct cases to go before them, including four cases of larceny, a case of obtaining money under false pretences, and a case of assault. The larcenies varied in character, but none of them was of an exceptional character. There was a case of pocket-picking, and a rather ingenious and clever type of larceny, in which a man was charged with obtaining £15 and a number of cheques from a man named O'Mahony, of Lusk, who dealt with the Northern Bank, and also with the County Council. Apparently there was stolen from Mr. O'Mahony's premises £15 in notes, four cheques, and paying orders to the County Council amounting to £22. The money was stolen on the 29th November, and on the 1st December, just after banking hours, the accused went into the Northern Bank and stated that he had just arrived by train, and that the train was late. The bank officials were imposed upon, and the accused got a number of the cheques cashed. The other cases included a charge of stealing a gold watch and of obtaining 11s. 6d. by false pretences—what was called "walking money," or out-of-work donation—by a representation by the accused that his daughter was under fifteen years old, whereas she was a little over that age.

Continuing, his Lordship said—"I cannot continue the congratulations of years. Your county has been the scene of an outrage unparalleled in the history of our country, which, to the great relief of all good and true men, failed in its execrable purpose. I can only hope that in the coming year a return to the crimeless character of your county may wipe out the stain and disgrace of the outrage that I have referred to."

A NEGRO AND A REVOLVER.

A coloured man named George Payne, described as a mess-man on board an American ship which had been in the Port of Dublin recently, was charged with having, on 12th December, in a street at the North side of the city, assaulted a woman named Frances McGrath, and also with having on the same occasion fired a revolver at James Fitzsimons with intent to kill and murder him, and on a second count with intent to do grievous bodily harm.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to the charge of assault, and also pleaded guilty of using a revolver, but said that he did it in self-defence, as four persons were holding him up for money.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., prosecuted for the Crown.

Mr. Farrell, who appeared for the defence, said that the accused belonged to the crew of an American-owned ship, and he might have had the revolver to protect himself in other countries.

The Recorder inquired if there was any means of sending the man away.

Mr. Farrell said that there was a letter from the American Consul to the effect that at present they had no information as to the whereabouts of the ship.

It was stated that the prisoner had been a month in custody, and the Recorder discharged him on his entering into recognisances in £10 to keep the peace for three years.

GLASS BREAKING.

William Maguire, of no fixed address, was charged with having, on the 27th December last, broken two panes of glass in the window of the shop No. 120 Parnell street, and done damage to the extent of £20 15s. 5d. The prisoner pleaded guilty.

The Recorder said that he would not allow decent and hard-pressed, and heavily taxed citizens to be put to the expense of paying for the damage done by drunken wastrels. That kind of thing would not be put a stop to until the Judicature allowed him to get men like the prisoner flogged, as had been done in Liverpool. There the late Mr. Justice Day, in the course of one day, ordered a number of garrotters to be flogged, and thus put an end to that class of crime. That was the only way by which glass breaking could be put a stop to in Dublin.

The Prisoner—It was due to drink.

His Lordship—That is not the slightest excuse. Drink is so expensive now that you must have had a great deal to be under its influence.

The Prisoner said that he was an ex-soldier, and offered to pay for the damage out of his pension of 8s. a week.

His lordship put the prisoner back to the February Sessions, with a view to his paying for the damage.

Edward Ryan, also of no fixed address, pleaded guilty to a charge of having on the 14th December smashed twenty-six panes of glass, the property of Monson, Robinson and Co., Talbot street, valued at £52 2s. 4d.

The Prisoner—I am willing to pay for it, sir.

His Lordship—I will let you stand back until February, and you can pay for it. In the meantime you will be in custody, and otherwise I will give you a sentence that will put a stop to this.

Peter McKevitt, an elderly man, was charged with having on the 1st January broken plate glass in the window of the shop, No. 34 Henry street.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C. (instructed by the Chief Crown Solicitor), who prosecuted, said that there were sixty-four convictions against the prisoner, who had been sentenced to three years' penal servitude in 1911, twelve months' hard labour in 1914, three years' penal servitude in 1916, besides innumerable other sentences for stealing, loitering, frequenting, and so forth. The case was one in which his lordship could give penal servitude.

Mr. George Fottrell (Clerk of the Crown and Peace) said that the value of the glass broken was £37 11s. 8d.

His Lordship said that the prisoner had followed out a criminal career with great persistence since 1897. He had been twice sentenced to penal servitude by him (the Recorder), and at different times and places throughout the country he was also sentenced. He would be now sentenced to three years' penal servitude.

SERIES OF FRAUDS.

A man named James Connolly was indicted in connection with a number of cases of fraud. He was charged with unlawfully receiving 2½ dozen of chamois leather from Messrs. Hodges on the pretence that he was to receive it on behalf of Messrs. A. Millar and Co., Ltd. There were further charges of having, by means of similar pretences, obtained various articles from the following business houses in the city:—Messrs. Henry and James, Messrs. Hickey and Co., Messrs. Varian and Co., Messrs. Todd, Burns and Co., Messrs. Elvery and Co., and Messrs. Webb and Co. There was a final charge of endeavouring to obtain an overcoat from the Henry Street Warehouse Co.

The Prisoner said that he had nothing to say but to plead guilty.

Detective Officer Haugh stated that the police had been notified that memorandum forms were being presented at the establishments of different firms, and he arrested the prisoner in the Henry Street Warehouse.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., who prosecuted, said that the case was a serious one.

The Recorder said that it was a very audacious fraud, and sentenced the prisoner to eighteen months' imprisonment with hard labour, to date from 5th December.

ROBBERY FROM A CLERGYMAN.

An ex-soldier named Michael Devine was charged with having, on 17th December, stolen a sum of 6s. and a gold watch and chain, the property of Rev. James Hamilton, of 4 Palmerston villas. The evidence was to the effect that on the evening in question the prisoner went to the address mentioned, knocked at the door, and was admitted by a maid servant. Rev. Mr. Hamilton then came into the hall, and the prisoner presented a pistol (which turned out to be a toy one), and asked for money. Mr. Hamilton gave him 6s., but he was not satisfied with that, and demanded the watch and chain which Mr. Hamilton was wearing. Being in fear, he gave the watch and chain to the prisoner, who, on leaving the house, said—"Don't dare to follow me, or I will fire at you if you do."

The prisoner said that he had been working in Scotland, and did not come to Dublin until the 19th December. He had never seen the rev. gentleman before, and was surprised that a gentleman of his profession should make statements which were not true.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and he was put back, it being intimated that he had yet to be tried in connection with the Parkgate street Post Office raid.

BRITISH MOTOR SPIRIT SYNDICATE, LIMITED.

An extraordinary general meeting of the British Motor Spirit Syndicate, Ltd., was held on Monday at 117 Victoria street, Westminster, London, for the purpose of submitting a resolution increasing the share capital of the Company by £750,000, divided into 750,000 shares of £1 each, bringing it up to £1,000,000. Mr. Alfred Armitage, J.P. (Chairman of the Company), presided.

The Secretary (Mr. H. Birch) having read the notice convening the meeting,

The Chairman, in moving the resolution, said—Since my last report to the shareholders, I have pleasure to inform you that we have now made arrangements for our Company to operate a complete petroleum unit, so organised that we share in the profits from the production, piping and refining of oil, as well as the distribution in the wholesale way.

Through the kind assistance of one of the largest firms of bankers in New York, we have been able, through their Petroleum Department, to get in touch with sources of supply and general petroleum distribution that will, I consider, make our Company highly successful. (Applause.)

PRODUCTION OF OIL.

We have been able to secure an output in one of the best fields in America, where the oil is found between 1,700 and 3,000 feet, with commencing output of 2,000 to 3,000 barrels a day of oil, now selling at 3.50 dollars a barrel.

Our properties lie in the Okmulgee deep field in Oklahoma, and reports by cable this morning state that we own at present over 1,000 barrels a day from the wells on our properties of over 2,000 acres, with room for more than 300 new wells. (Applause.)

The net income from this property amounts to £22,000 a month, and I anticipate a material increase during 1920 through the drilling development we have in hand.

CONTROL OF OUTPUT.

Many shareholders will have read of the large oil outputs which are being secured in the Louisiana Field near Shreeveport, where several wells have each given over 20,000 barrels of oil a day. In the Pine Island Field, Louisiana, we have secured control of 4,000 barrels a day at current market prices for our new refinery at Gilliam.

REFINERY.

The Company is purchasing a 40 per cent. interest in a refinery organisation at Gilliam, in the Caddo Oilfield, north of Shreeveport. A commercial test of 276,200 gallons of Pine Island crude oil has been made at the Home Petroleum Company's refinery, which shows a profit of over 2 dollars a barrel, and it is estimated that the refinery will be making over 8,000 dollars a day during the coming summer.

DISTRIBUTION.

Through our production of crude oil and refinery interests we are now in a position to secure ample supplies of all petroleum products, including petrol, kerosene and lubricants. We have arranged for storage on the Thames, and the wharf we have purchased at Battersea has been passed by the London County Council for sufficient quantities of finished products to meet our original scheme of distribution in Great Britain.

Transport arrangements between the refinery at Gilliam and Gulf ports will only cost two cents a gallon for delivery of products for shipment to England, which the directors may make use of should the conditions become normal.

There is a market for both crude and refined oils on the spot in U.S.A., and for any part of the products which we may import, and there is a good margin of profit between the market price at refinery and the wholesale price in Great Britain, after allowance has been made for the present very high freights which exist. An example of this can be cited in the case of our lubricants, which are quoted at 16 cents a gallon at Refinery, and 72 cents a gallon in ton lots in London, the transport between these two points being under 20 cents a gallon. I would like to add, finally, that by making these units part of the British Motor Spirit Syndicate, we are placed on the "ground floor" in all the petroleum business we handle, and I am of the opinion that the present large profits will be materially increased during the coming year.

CAPITAL.

Interests in America and Great Britain have expressed their desire to obtain shareholdings in our Company.

It is proposed to issue the new capital in a few weeks, and I have received an offer to underwrite a large portion of the issue. (Applause.)

Captain F. Daniell seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously.

On the motion of Major J. C. Daniell, seconded by Lord Henry FitzGerald, a cordial vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman and the other directors, and the proceedings then terminated.

NORTH DUBLIN RURAL COUNCIL.

INCREASE IN THE RATES.

A meeting of North Dublin Rural District Council was held yesterday, Mr. J. O'Neill (Chairman) presiding.

The Clerk, referring to his estimate of rates for the financial year ending 31st March, 1921, said that there was an increase of £1,362 on last year's estimate. This was principally due to the inclusion of £800 ordered provisionally for the repair of cottages. The Council had now to pay for the maintenance of fever hospital patients, a charge which previously had been paid by the Board of Guardians, and there was a sum of £350 included for that.

It was decided to reduce the amount allocated for the repair of cottages from £800 to £400, and a deduction of £100 was made in the amount estimated for wells.

The estimate, having been reduced from £5,816 to £5,316, was adopted.

The Clerk said that the increase in the estimate would mean an increase of almost 3d. in the £ on the rates.

PROFITEERING COMMITTEE.

The Clerk announced that advertisements had been issued on the subject of the formation of a "Profiteering" Committee for the rural district, but, as he had not received any complaints, he had not summoned a meeting of the Committee.

KINGSTOWN TO OPPOSE PORT AND DOCKS BILL.

Mr. J. J. Kennedy, J.P., Chairman, presided yesterday at a special meeting of the Kingstown Urban Council, held for the purpose of considering what action should be taken in regard to the Dublin Port and Docks Bill before Parliament.

Dr. Sherlock Vaughan, Town Clerk, read a proposed resolution to the effect that the Council resolved to oppose the bill, and made provision for the payment of the costs of their opposition out of certain funds and out of the rates leviable by the Council.

The Chairman said that several members of the Council thought that the bill would seriously affect the port of Kingstown. He considered it his duty to propose the resolution which had been drafted by the Law Agent.

Mr. M. F. O'Brien seconded the motion, which, he said, was a matter of vital importance to Kingstown. If the bill was passed through Parliament in its present form, it would mean the raising of the rates on all ships coming to Kingstown.

Mr. Michael Murray, J.P., said that in order to strengthen the opposition it would be advisable to hold a ratepayers' meeting, and obtain their views, and secure the necessary expenses, if any, of the cost of opposing the bill.

The motion was carried unanimously.

The Chairman stated that the initial expenses in opposing the bill would be a mere bagatelle. He had been informed that if the Port and Docks Board succeeded in doing what they proposed, it would be most detrimental to the interests of Kingstown, as it would raise the rates on incoming ships, and tend to prevent ships entering the port.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

ILLEGAL PAWNING.—In connection with an application for the renewal of a pawnbroker's licence, Mr. Lupton, K.C., in the Southern Police Court yesterday commented upon the ease with which stolen property could be pawned in Dublin. In the past two years several cases had come before his notice, and in future he intended to scrutinise very carefully all applications for licence renewals. It was a duty he owed to the public, and although he believed that pawnbrokers, as a whole, were a respectable body of tradesmen, yet the fact remained that stolen property could be pledged in Dublin with too much ease and facility.

INCREASE FOR KINGSTOWN POOR RATE COLLECTOR.—At the meeting of the Kingstown Urban Council yesterday, Mr. Edward Kelly, poor rate collector, was granted an increase of poundage of ¼d. in the £, or about £30 annually. The Chairman, Mr. J. J. Kennedy, J.P., in putting the motion, described Mr. Kelly as a most deserving officer, who discharged his duties in a most satisfactory manner.

LAW REPORTS.

SALE OF WATERFORD MUNITION FACTORY.—In the King's Bench Division yesterday, Mr. Justice Pim delivered judgment in the petition of right presented by Messrs. Thomas Thompson and Son, Ltd., of Carlow, against the King, to recover £4,000 for breach of contract in respect to the sale to the suppliants of the munitions factory at Waterford by the Ministry of Munitions, for which factory and its contents the suppliants had offered £24,200. The arguments in the case were heard in December last. His lordship said that it had been admitted by counsel for the defence that if there had been a contract, and it was broken, the sum asked for was not too much. During the course of the war the Minister of Munitions took from the Great Southern and Western Railway Company a piece of ground in the City of Waterford, and erected thereon a national cartridge factory. Soon after the signing of the Armistice in November, 1918, the Minister signified his intention of selling the factory and the stores therein, and shortly afterwards the suppliants wrote to the agent of the Minister, saying that they were prepared to make a bid for the factory "as it stood, lock, stock, and barrel." In February, 1919, they wrote to the Director of the Ministry of Munitions in Dublin, saying that they would take over the premises, machinery, plant, tools, and full equipment, and pay for them £20,000, subject to a condition that a reasonable rent and term could be arranged with the owners of the site. The suppliants added that they intended to start an industry on the site, and that it was a matter of great importance to them that they should obtain as long a lease as possible at a reasonable rent. A great deal of correspondence on the subject passed between the suppliants and the Ministry, and finally the suppliants offered £24,200. Sir Howard Frank, writing on behalf of the Ministry of Munitions, stated that he could not entertain any offer with such a condition as to the lease of the premises, as that was a matter to be settled with the railway company. On May 24th, 1919, Sir Howard Frank telegraphed to Messrs. Thompson:—"Will accept, subject contract, £24,200 for Waterford factory, as we hold it, including stores, but excluding Board of Works property and certain press spares of Gramophone Company, which is not factory property, as pointed out by Major Devine, subject your acceptance and confirmation, by noon Tuesday, 27th inst." The suppliants telegraphed in reply accepting the offer, and asking that the draft contract be forwarded to Carlow with definite information as to holding agreement from the railway company. On the same day Sir Howard Frank telegraphed to the suppliants—"Telegram received; instructions given; prepare necessary contract; Waterford advised by wire; letter follows." A letter confirming that telegram followed, and adding—"But, of course, it must be clearly understood that possession cannot be given you until the contract has been signed and the purchase duly completed." In his lordship's opinion, but for the disputed words, "subject contract," the telegram of the 24th and 27th May formed as clear a contract as could be imagined, and if those two words were not in the offer made by Sir Howard Frank no court of law could refuse to say that it was a concluded contract, and that it must be carried out. After further negotiations Sir Alexander Lawrence, solicitor for the Treasury, wrote saying that the revisions in the proposed agreement with regard to the term of letting were unacceptable, and that the directorate had decided not to proceed further with the negotiations for the sale. The delay that took place before that letter was written had not a pleasant look, and as to the reasons given by the Treasury solicitor for refusing to carry out their agreement with the suppliants they were both absurd and uncandid—absurd because neither the Ministry of Munitions nor the Directorate of Lands had anything whatever to say to any difficulties which might have arisen between the suppliants and the railway company; and uncandid, for it was clear that that was not and could not be, the reason of their action. What he (the judge) had to decide was what was the meaning of the two words, "subject contract." A great many authorities on the subject had been cited by counsel, but no case like the present one had been cited. When the solicitor for the Treasury settled the formal contract there was not to be found in it one word more than was to be found in the contract in the telegrams. He could not think that there was any such idea in the mind of the Minister that he desired to see the contract in written legal form before he finally concluded the negotiations, and without some such explanation how could it be contended that it was the intention of the Minister that no contract was to arise until a formal contract was entered into? In his (the judge's) opinion the meaning of the words "subject to contract," in the letters and telegrams, was given in the letter of Sir Howard Frank, in which he stated:—"Instructions will be given to enable you to take stock of the stores at present in the factory, and to prepare an agreed list, which can be checked on your taking over on completion, but, of course, it must be clearly understood that possession cannot be given you until the contract has been signed, and the purchase duly completed." The Minister had already written to his agents at Waterford that the factory had been sold to the suppliants, and had so informed the suppliants. He (the judge) was satisfied that the words "subject contract" never meant that the negotiations were to go on until the formal contract had been signed, nor was there the slightest evidence that Sir Howard Frank so intended them. He was inclined to think that the words in the solicitor's letter to that effect was a mere afterthought. Having come to this conclusion, his lordship must declare the suppliants entitled to succeed, and judgment should be entered for them for £4,000 and costs. Counsel for the suppliants—Messrs. Healy, K.C.; E. S. Murphy, K.C., and Cecil Fforde (instructed by Messrs. James Henry and Son). Counsel for the King—Mr. Wylie, K.C.; Mr. Babington, K.C., and Mr. H. O. Holmes (instructed by the Chief Crown Solicitor).

DUBLIN HOTEL DEBT.—In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Pim, in the case of Alex. Findlater and Co. against Lilly Lindsay and Lilly Calley, Mr. Tobias applied for an order giving him liberty to substitute service of a writ of summons. The action was brought to recover £173 14/1, balance of the price of goods sold and delivered to the two defendants while they were managing the Manchester and Provincial Hotel, Wellington quay, Dublin. The defendants had left Dublin, and were not to be found. The intention was to serve the writ upon Mr. C. F. Mathews, who was acting for the defendants in an administration suit in the Master of the Rolls Court, relating to the estate of the late Mrs. Wilkinson, who had been proprietress of the hotel. He believed that a document served upon Mr. Mathews would reach the defendants, who were supposed to be in England. Mr. Justice Pim said that he did not think it would be reasonable to serve a solicitor on record in another suit. He suggested that the plaintiffs make further inquiry, and to renew the application. Counsel said that the suggestion would be acted on.

SOLICITOR'S SLANDER ACTION.—At Nisi Prius, before Mr. Justice Kenny, the case of Hearn v. Downes stood in the list, merely to be mentioned. Mr. Serjeant Hanna said that he appeared, with Mr. Serjeant Sullivan and Mr. Healy, for the defendant, and the Attorney-General and Mr. Wylie were for the plaintiff. It was an action brought by Mr. Michael Hearn, solicitor, against Sir Joseph Downes, to recover damages for slander, and there was a motion for additional discovery about to be served. It would probably be served in the beginning of next week in the King's Bench Division, and, subject to his lordship's arrangements as to a jury, the parties had agreed that the 28th inst. would be a suitable date for the trial. The case was set down for trial on Wednesday, the 28th inst., before a judge and a special jury of the City of Dublin. Counsel for the plaintiff—The Attorney-General, M.P.; Mr. Wylie, K.C.; and Mr. J. Rearden (instructed by Mr. W. P. Triston). For the defendant—Mr. Serjeant Sullivan, Mr. Serjeant Hanna, Mr. Healy, K.C., and Mr. Lardner (instructed by Messrs. Brady and Hayden).

CUSTODY OF CHILDREN.—In the Chancery Division Mr. Justice Powell delivered judgment in the case of McKenna, infants; McKenna v. McKenna. The case had come before the Court on the application of Bernard McKenna, paternal grandfather of the children, that Mrs. Annie Hunter, or some fit and proper person, might be appointed guardian of the minor children jointly with Mrs. Martha McKenna, the defendant, their mother; that the children be directed to be brought up in the Roman Catholic religion; that they be directed to be sent to Roman Catholic schools; and that, if necessary, the defendant be removed from guardianship by order of the Court, and that the care and custody of the children be committed to Mrs. Hunter. It appeared that the deceased father had been a Roman Catholic; that the mother became a Catholic before her marriage with him, and that all the children had been baptised as Roman Catholics and brought up in that religion during their father's lifetime, and for some time after his death. Mr. Justice Powell, in his judgment, said that such religious training as the children had received was in the Roman Catholic Faith, under the supervision of the defendant herself, and he failed to see how the delinquencies of her husband, even if he considered them to have been satisfactorily proved, justified the defendant in seeking to change her children's religion, the religion of their father, and the religion in which they were baptised and reared. He made the order sought, and appointed Mrs. Annie Hunter guardian of the children, Richard, Ernest, Maud, Martha, and William, jointly with the defendant, and he directed that they be brought up in the Roman Catholic religion. As regards James, his education was completed; he had gone out to learn a trade, and would soon probably be independent of any of his relatives. And whatever his (the judge's) views might be on the subject of his future religion, he thought that the boy was of age to judge for himself. James had expressed his intention and wish to become a Protestant, and he (the judge) did not feel at liberty to interfere. Mr. Pigot, K.C., and Mr. Murnaghan (instructed by Mr. Thomas J. S. Harbison) were counsel for the plaintiff; and Mr. Leech, K.C., and Mr. Raphael (instructed by Messrs. Twigg and Son) for the defendant. On the application of Mr. Leech Mr. Justice Powell granted a stay of a fortnight in order to enable the defendant to serve notice of appeal if so advised.

SOLDIER'S ACTION AGAINST CLERGYMAN.—In the King's Bench Division, before Mr. Justice Dodd, Mr. Justice Pim, and Mr. Justice Gordon, in the case of Charles Arthur Fitch v. Rev. William L. T. Whatham, Mr. T. W. Brown, K.C., M.P., with whom was Mr. Andrews, K.C., and Mr. G. H. Brett (instructed by Messrs. L'Estrange and Brett) applied on behalf of the defendant for an order changing the venue of the trial of the action from the City of Dublin to the County of Down. The action was brought by the plaintiff, a private soldier in the Royal Army Medical Corps, to recover damages from the Rev. Canon William L. T. Whatham, now residing at Grey Abbey, Co. Down, and formerly of Newtownards, for alleged *crim. con.* with plaintiff's wife. Counsel said the local venue was clearly the place where the action should be tried. Mr. Serjeant Hanna, who, with Mr. Lowry (instructed by Mr. James Alexander) appeared for the plaintiff, said that his client had been in the army and was demobilised. On returning home he first became aware of the alleged improper relations between his wife and Canon Whatham. He then rejoined the army as a private and had now got leave to attend the trial of the action. Counsel argued that owing to the high position which Canon Whatham occupied in the Church in County Down the action should not be tried in the local venue. Canon Whatham was private chaplain to Lord Londonderry, H.M.L. He had been in Newtownards, but after this trouble he was transferred to a parish under the patronage of the Marquis of Londonderry. The Court refused the motion with costs.

ATTENDANCE OF JURORS.—In the Nisi Prius Court, where Mr. Justice Kenny sat, the special jury panels for the County and City of Dublin were called over by Mr. F. Kennedy, Associate. The judge said that the attendance of jurors was very unsatisfactory. Out of 48 names on the county panel only nine had answered. No county cases had been set down for trial yet, but if a case were set down a number of these gentlemen who did not attend would be very heavily fined. When the special jurors for the city were called, the judge remarked that the attendance was fairly good, fifty-two gentlemen having answered to their names.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

INCREASED CRIME IN BELFAST.—The Recorder of Belfast, addressing the Grand Jury at the opening of the City Sessions yesterday, said that there had been a very substantial increase in the crime of the city compared with the corresponding period of last year and the two previous years. Last year the number of bills to go before them was 15; on this occasion there were 46 bills, representing 41 prisoners.

£84 AN ACRE FOR LAND.—A sum of £670, or £84 per acre, has been obtained for a small holding sold by Messrs. Corish and Walsh, auctioneers, at Newtown, Kilmore, County Wexford.

CHILDREN'S LEAGUE OF PITY.—As a result of a dance held in the Harrison Hall, Roscommon, on behalf of the Roscommon branch of the Children's League of Pity, nearly £10 was realised, which has been forwarded to Miss Rodden, Organising Secretary.

FATAL MOTOR ACCIDENT NEAR NEWRY.—Yesterday, James Hope, general dealer, Rathfriland, died in the Newry General Hospital from injuries received on Monday night through a collision with an unknown motor car outside Newry. The wheel of Hope's cart was torn off, the horse badly cut, and Hope was himself dragged along the road for several yards and severely injured about the body.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

DUBLIN ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Barometer—29.60.

Wind and Weather—S.W. wind, strong breeze, fine and clear.

Foreign Arrival:—Ss. Seine, of Toulon, France (952 tons register), Captain Febore, bound from Barrow-in-Furness to St. Nazaire; berthed at North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals:—Ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, ss. Arvonia, from Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Lady Tennant, ss. Carlow, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Tiger, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Penrhyn, from Birkenhead, with railway chairs; ss. Lady Patricia, from London (via Plymouth), with goods; ss. Alyn, from Garston, with coals; ss. Alder, from Maryport, with coals; ss. St. Mirren, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Talacre, from Point of Aire, with coals.

Coastwise Departures:—Ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, ss. Arvonia, for Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. Killiney, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Tiger, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Esperanto, for Garston, light; ss. Thelma, for Ayr, light; ss. Puffin, for Piel, light.

LLOYD'S SHIPPING NEWS.

Mails.

ADOLPH WOERMANN, Sydney for London, left Port Said 8th.
AUTHOR, from Liverpool, arrived Port Sudan 8th.
ADRIATIC, from New York, arrvd. Southampton 13th.
AUSTRALMOUNT, from London, left Alexandria 8th.
BOGOTA, from Liverpool, arrived Callao 11th.
BENALLA, for London, left Adelaide 11th.
BENEFACTOR, from Mombassa, arrvd Liverpool 13th.
COMMONWEALTH, for London, left Sydney 9th.
CELTIC, for Liverpool, left New York 11th.
CRANFIELD, from Zanzibar, arrived Gravesend 13th.
CARMARTHENSHIRE, Yokohama for London, arrived Suez 8th.
CITY OF CANTON, Calcutta for London, ar. Suez 8th.
DERBYSHIRE, for Rangoon, left Liverpool 10th.
DONGOLA, for United Kingdom, left Hong Kong 8th.
GANDARA, Karachi for London, arrvd. Bombay 5th.
GABOON, from London, arrived Las Palmas 11th.
HATURANA, from Calcutta, arrvd. Gravesend 12th.
HUBERT, from Galveston, arrvd. Liverpool 13th.
HIMALAYA, Alexandria for Devonport, left Gibraltar 11th.
KITANO MARU, Yokohama for London, left Hong Kong 9th.
LEICESTERSHIRE, Rangoon for Liverpool, ar. Suez 8th.
MOORA, from the Clyde, arrived Busreh 5th.
METAGAMA, for Liverpool, left St. John (N.B.) 12th.
MALTA, from London, arrvd. Calcutta 7th.
MARGHA, Bombay for London, left Port Said 8th.
MANTUA, London for Australia, left Marseilles 11th.
MOREA, Sydney for London, presumed left Bombay 10th.
NARDUNA, Calcutta for London, arrived Suez 8th.
NAVIGATOR, for South Africa, left Middlesboro' 12th.
NUBIAN, from Liverpool, arrived Galveston 10th.
ORSOVA, for London, left Brisbane 10th.
ORANIAN, Liverpool for Vera Cruz, left Kingston 10th.
ORDUNA, from New York, arrived Mersey 13th.
ORTEGA, from Liverpool, arrived Valparaiso 12th.
PATANI, Liverpool for Conakry, called Teneriffe 10th.
PLASSY, from Melbourne, arrived Plymouth 13th.
PEMBROKESHIRE, London for Yokohama, arrived Port Said 8th.
PHIDIAS, from New York, arrvd. Manchester 12th.
PORT DARWIN, from London, arrvd. Melbourne 10th.
REGINA, from Philadelphia, arrived Liverpool 11th.
SOCRATES, for Manchester, left New York 11th.
TURCOMAN, Portland (Me.), arrvd. Avonmouth 12th.
VERENTIA, for Avonmouth, left St. John (N.B.) 12th.
WINIFREDIAN, from Liverpool, arrvd. Halifax 12th.
WAIPARA, Sydney for London, arrvd. Port Natal 9th.
WARFIELD, Bombay for London, called Aden 5th.
WHAKATANE, from United Kingdom, ar. Aden 10th.
YPIRANGA, from Liverpool, arrived Sydney 9th.
ZEALANDIC, from Wellington, arrived Gravesend 13th.

Steamship Movements.

AENEAS, from Clyde, arrived Sydney 12th.
BENARTY, London for Yokohama, left Port Swettenham 8th.
CLAN MACINTYRE, Clyde for Calcutta, arrived Alexandria 8th.
CAMITO, for Kingston, left Bristol 13th.
CLAN MACBEAN, for Dundee, left Chittagong 7th.
CLAN STUART, for London, left Chittagong 7th.
EURYBATES, Batavia for London, left Port Said 6th.
GLENSPEY, for United Kingdom, left Yokohama 8th.
GLENAVY, Tees for Yokohama, called Hong Kong 8th.
HELENUS, from London, arrived Yokohama 7th.
KESBANE HEAD, from New Orleans, ar. Belfast 12th.
MANCHESTER, from Manchester, ar. Philadelphia 11th.
MATINA, from Santa Marta, arrived Garston 13th.
MANCHESTER MERCHANT, for Philadelphia, left Manchester 13th.
NESTOR, for Liverpool, left Brisbane 10th.
OAK BRANCH, Callao for Liverpool, ar. Panama 12th.

Casualties.

Barmouth telegraphs:—British steamer Rio Negro lost all blades propeller yesterday in tow, towline parted, towing vessel lost sight of during the night; vessel now drifting into Barmouth Bay to anchor; third connection landed for assistance.

Brest telegraphs:—Belgian steamer Serbier in distress 80 miles off Penmarch. French steamer Docteur Pierre Benoit attempted to tow the vessel, but failed on account of rough sea. The Serbier was abandoned, the crew being picked up by the steamer Docteur Pierre Benoit.

British steamer Trentino, which has arrived at Liverpool from Alexandria, reports being in collision with the Norwegian steamer Willy off the Longships; latter sank. The Trentino's stem damaged.

Cardiff telegraphs:—British steamer Maindy Abbey dry docked midday; extensive damage starboard side.

Exeter telegraphs:—French sailing vessel Auguste Charles ashore on Kaspp Head; two men saved; three believed drowned.

Fleetwood telegraphs:—The Carnarvon schooner Jane and Ann, loaded pitprops, ashore off St. Ann's-on-Sea, abandoned; lifeboat crew boarded her, and brought further inshore, leaking badly; reported breaking up.

Gravesend telegraphs:—Fire occurred on Tuesday night in the deck cabin aft of the Government steamer Sobo. The contents of the cabin were destroyed; main deck damaged; fire extinguished.

London steamer War Noble, not under steam leaving West India Dock yesterday, four tugs attending, ran athwart the river, and collided with the Glasgow steamer Peveril, bound up, causing extensive damage to the starboard side forward of the Peveril. War Noble ran ashore off Delta Wharf, Greenwich, breaching the wharf wall tower. Damage to the War Noble unknown; Peveril is ashore at Greenwich.

Norwegian auxiliary Barbak III., Cardiff to Granville, put into Brest, lost sails.

Philadelphia cables:—The British steamer Manchester Port and the American steamer Glen White collided in port; both damaged.

The British steamer Wellington is reported broken down in 49.48 N.L. 5.15 W.L.; requires tug.

The Glasgow steamer Glassford, Barry for Dunkirk, arrived Portland, list starboard 12 degrees, cargo shifted No. 2 hold, tarpaulins torn, three hatches carried away, No. 2 hold full water, donkey pump unable work; dockyard tug being sent to clear hold, hand-steering gear started.

The Norwegian steamer Aaibra, from St. Nazaire, lost two anchors and cables in Barry Roads; damage to forepeak through collision with the steamer Lizzie, inward bound.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, January 14, 1920.

COURT OF APPEAL.—To be Mentioned—St. George v. Burdett. For Hearing—Final Appeals—Kennedy v. Peoples; Robertson v. Flynn; the King (Doyle) v. Gorey R.D. Council.

CHANCERY DIVISION.—Lord Chancellor. Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30—Cunniam, minors; Dyas, a minor. Before Mr. Murphy, at 11.30—Cunniam, minors, vch.

ROLLS.—To be Mentioned (to fix dates for Hearing)—Actions—Loughnan v. O'Sullivan; Musgrave Bros. v. Barry; Matthews v. Borthwick; Hart v. Hart; C.D.B. v. Kilkelly; Lawrenson v. Thackaberry. Injunction Motion—Pearl Life Assce. Co. v. Anthony. For Hearing—Adjourned into Court—Kiernan v. M'Cann. Actions—Neill v. Rutherford; Stokes v. Moorhead. Rolls Chambers, 11—Knowles v. Miller; Wilson v. Moore; Murphy v. Hegarty; Clarke v. Brady; Landy v. Delaney; Gingles v. Kimmins; Martagh v. Page. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk, at 11.30—O'Reilly v. O'Reilly; Caruth v. Dempsey.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—For Judgment—M'Alpine v. Joyce. Actions—Plewman v. Agnew; Corrigan v. Corrigan. Motion—Mackey v. Mackey. For Thursday—Motion—O'Brien v. Elkyn. Actions—O'Shea v. Casey; Carroll v. Daly; Smith v. Smith. For Friday—County Court Appeal—Taaffe v. Taaffe. This Day—Before the Chief Clerk—O'Brien v. Droney; Westropp v. Howson; Brennan v. Brennan; Cos' Acts and Ennis Gas Consumers' Co.; Maguire v. Maguire; Duckett v. Duckett. Before Drs Webb, 11.30—Craig v. Hamn, vch, ac.

TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 11—Exparte Taxations—Foley's estate, R. A. Howe; a person of unsound mind, G.S., Carson and Co.; a person of unsound mind, G.S., Hamilton and Craig; Sayers v. Crozier, J. Cooper; Stokes v. Ross, H. A. Wynne; Forsythe v. Ross, do.; Burton v. Turner, S. Kerr; same v. same, C. J. P. Farrell; same v. same, E. Burton; same v. same, Meldon and Co. Master Macnamara, 11—Corley, decd., G. V. Maloney; Dolan v. O'Hagan, Bailie and Co.; Dunlop v. Crossett, C. H. Chaytor; Hibernian v. Yourell, T. O'Reilly and Sons; Maguire to Little, Little, Doyle, and Woods.

LAND JUDGES.—Mr. May, Examiner—Harrison estate, vch. Mr. Dick, Examiner—Auckinleck estate; E. F. Leigh White. Receiver Office—Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11—Application for Directions—Thos. Connolly estate. 11.30—Receiver's Account—Ellen Newton and another estate, from 6th inst., S. S. and E. Reeves and Sons.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court 1. Crown Side. For Judgment—The King (Cahill) v. Justices, Co. Dublin. Exparte Motions. On Notice—The King (Meagher) v. Maloney; the King (Kelly) v. same; the King (Ryan) v. same; the King (Flannery) v. same; the King (Barry) v. same; the King (M'Donagh) v. Gaffney; the King (Devine) v. same; the King (O'Donnell) v. same; the King (M'Gillicuddy) v. the Justices, Co. Kerry. In Court 2. Exparte Motions at 11. Summonses—Carroll v. Fagan; Joyce v. Hall; Golden v. Halligan; Geary and Co. v. O'Reilly; Maher v. Cregan; Mullins v. Cunningham; Hanlon v. Cleary. Motions on Notice—Goodman v. Strahan and Co.; O'Connor v. Hurley and anor.; Hearty v. Malcomson; Rooney v. O'Hare; Sumner and Co. v. Golden and Co.; M'Dermott v. Allison and anor.; Russell v. Burke; Evans v. Murphy; Daly v. Connell; Wallace v. M'Mechan and anor.; Woods v. Johnston; M'Cullogh v. M'Cullogh. For to-morrow. For Hearing. New Trial Motions—M'Donnell v. M'Donnell; Casey v. Martin. Before Master Jackson, K.C. For Thursday, 12—Slater v. Pender.

TRIALS BY JURY.—Before Mr. Justice Kenny, in Nisi Prius Court No. 2, at 11. City Special—M'Kitterick v. Woods and Co., at hearing; Merrin v. Monks. The City Special Jurors sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend this morning in Nisi Prius Court No. 2, at 11 o'clock. The unsworn City Special Jurors are also required to attend this day in Nisi Prius Court No. 2 at 2 o'clock. Before Mr. Justice Moore, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, at 11. City Common—Huet v. Wright and a counterclaim, at hearing. The City Common Jurors sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend this morning in Nisi Prius Court No. 1 at 11 o'clock. The unsworn City Common Jurors need not attend until to-morrow. For Thursday. City Common—Hartley v. M'Donagh; King v. Dempsey; Clarke v. Johnstone; M'Clements v. Fulton. For Friday. Non-Juries—Dickson v. Corbett; Gurry v. Culhane; Behan v. Kelly and ors.; Acton v. Firna; Fisher and anor. v. Nugent; O'Brien v. Whelan; Mathews v. M'Carthy.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar or Chief Clerk, at 11—Arrangt., refee B. 127, Scallan and Co.

ADMIRALTY.—Exparte Motions.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Land Purchase Acts. At the Examiners' Chambers, 32 Nassau street. Before Mr. J. Herbert Shaw (Chamber No. 53), at 2.30—G. A. Atkinson (E.C. 4086), disch. rules. Before Mr. Jeffrey White (Chamber No. 47), at 3.30—Lady Ross (E.C. 6858), settle sched. Before Mr. Brady (Chamber No. 52), at 11.30—Chaffes L. E. G. Eustace (E.C. 3423) (Wrightson's head rent), vch. At 2.30—Lord Templetown (E.C. 3447), vch. costs. At 3—M. T. Madden and ors. (E.C. 5815) (Doyle's head rent), vch. Before Mr. Dixon (Chamber No. 16), 11.30—P. S. Tuthill (E.C. 5949), disch. rules. Before Mr. J. G. Franks (Chamber No. 10), at 11—Kennedy estate. At 12—Sir George Greville (E.C. 5639). Before Mr. Vaughan Hart (Chamber No. 9), at 11—Henrietta A. Dopping and anor. Before Mr. Wade (Chamber No. 11), at 12—W. J. de B. Thackwell (E.C. 6545 and 7334), disch. rules.

BEFORE THE RECORDER, at 11—Crown Cases, continued.

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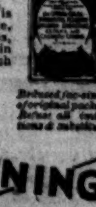

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COMING EVENTS.

DUBLIN NATURALISTS' FIELD CLUB.—A meeting of the Dublin Naturalists' Field Club will be held in the Royal Irish Academy, Dawson street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A lecture (with lantern illustration) will be given by Mr. La Touche on "Chinese Birds and their Haunts."

WITH THE ARMY OF OCCUPATION IN GERMANY.—Rev. B. B. Morton, of Kingstown, will lecture to-morrow evening in the schoolroom, St. Stephen's Green Methodist Church, on his experiences as a chaplain with the Army of Occupation. An admirable selection of lantern slides will be shown illustrating the life of the troops in the occupied areas. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.

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RUGBY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University A v. Dun's Hospital, College Park, 2.45.
Monkstown A v. Dublin Garrison, Sydney Parade, 2.30.
Blackrock 3rd A v. Monkstown 3rd A, Nutley avenue.
Old Wesley 3rd v. Blackrock 3rd (M.L.), Donnybrook.
St. Andrew's College v. Wanderers 3rd, Lansdowne road.
Lansdowne 3rd v. Bective Rangers 3rd, Lansdowne road.

Dublin University "A" v. Dun's Hospital.—Marais; Tipping, Cussen, De Bruyn, De Villiers; Du Plessis, Wells; Coetzee, De Wet, Pienaar, Price, Thompson, Troughton, Van Druten, Vereuil.

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TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

M.G. Corps v. R.A.S.C., at Grangegorman.
Wilts v. School of Science, at Phœnix Park.
Worcesters v. Gordon High., at Serpentine avenue.
33rd R.F.A. v. Tank Corps, at Phœnix Park.

ENGLISH CUP.

SECOND ROUND DRAW.

Birmingham v. Darlington or Sheffield Wednesday.
Luton Town or Coventry City v. South Shields or Liverpool.
Southampton or West Ham v. Bury.
Chelsea v. Swindon Town.
Thorneycroft (Woolston) or Burnley v. Sunderland or Hull City.
Bradford v. Castleford Town.
Manchester United v. Aston Villa.
Plymouth Argyle v. Barnsley.
Blackburn Rovers or Wolverhampton Wanderers v. Cardiff City.
Preston North End v. Blackpool or Derby County.
Newport County or Leicester City v. Manchester City.
Notts County v. Lincoln City or Middlesbrough.
Bristol City v. The Arsenal.
Bradford City or Portsmouth v. Sheffield United.
Newcastle United v. Huddersfield Town.
Tottenham Hotspur v. West Stanley or Gillingham.

The first-named in each case has choice of ground. Ties to be played on Saturday, January 31st.

BOXING.

NATIONAL SPORTING CLUB CONTESTS.

The principal event in the not very imposing programme at the reopening of the National Sporting Club on Monday night was a fifteen rounds contest between the well-known feather-weights, Tom Gardner, of Smethwick, and Fred Jones, of Rushden. Both lads are amongst the cleverest of the 9st. brigade in the country, and, though not quite in the first class, are very near it. It was a capital contest for ten rounds, but after that Jones, with the stronger punch, got on top, and finally won with something in hand on points. In a hard, though scrambling, ten rounds contest between Corpl. Frank Downton, Royal Marines, and Will Hughes, Kidwelly, Downton was a good winner on points at the finish, and he fully earned his success.

CRICKET.

INTER-STATE MATCH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

SYDNEY, MONDAY.

New South Wales defeated South Australia in the Inter-State cricket match here by six wickets.

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SPORTING NEWS.

BIRMINGHAM MEETING—YESTERDAY.

IRISH-BRED HORSES TO THE FORE.

Another big attendance and a succession of large fields were features of the wind-up of Birmingham Meeting. Seventy-six horses were saddled during the afternoon, bringing the total up to 143 for the two days, a striking proof of the present popularity of cross-country sport. Rathleague, the favourite for the Ward End Selling Steeplechase, was a rather lucky winner, as Poor Willy, when leading at the last fence, came to grief. His two wins at Plymouth caused Intervention to be preferred to thirteen others in the Moseley Hurdle Race, but Mr. Stewart's gelding could get no nearer than fourth, Mataro winning after a good finish with Sanctify. Captain Fenwick-Palmer had to go to 490 guineas to retain the winner.

The presence of the Grand National winner, Ally Sloper, lent distinction to the Highfield Steeplechase, but the running of Prince Francis behind Loch Allen at Manchester was more convincing than anything Ally Sloper has done of late, and with a pull of 11lb. the favourite won easily. Jenny Jones was backed down to evens for the Long Distance Hurdle, but Hedu won his third successive victory. T. Leader's stable followed this up by capturing the Maiden Hurdle Race with Annoya, who was bred by Mr. R. W. Parr, and in the concluding event, the Irish-bred horse, Cargo, beat the more fancied Heathencote and several others. It is worthy of note that all the events on the day's card, with the exception of the Moseley Hurdle Plate, were carried off by Irish-bred horses. Details:—

1.0—WARD END STEEPLECHASE, £150. 2 m.
Mr. B. Percy's ch. g. RATHLEAGUE, by Tredennis—Flight, a, 12-0 ..... R. Gordon 1
Mr. Paterson's SUNLIGHT III., a, 11-10 .. Pearce 2
Capt. H. Denison's GAY MAC, a, 11-10 .... Hehir 3

Also ran:—Castleton (Owner), Poor Willy (Capt. Doyle), Suzanne III. (Fitzgerald), Celerity (Owner), William Lad (V. Dullea), Devondale (Gurney), Birthday II. (Lyons), Satwell (Benyon), Gypsy King (H. Smyth), Buck Up (Speare). (Winner trained by Gordon.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. RATHLEAGUE, 9 to 2 Castleton, 6 to 1 each Poor Willy and Sunlight III., 8 to 1 Gay Mac, 100 to 8 any other.

Won by five lengths; six lengths.

The winner was bought in for 310 guineas.

1.30—MOSELEY HURDLE, £200. 2 m.
Capt. Fenwick Palmer's b. g. MATARO, by Littleton—Maritza, 6, 11-1 .... Owner 1
Mr. J. Brooks' SANCTIFY, 6, 10-0 ..... H. Smyth 2
Mr. C. Lloyd's TOM BERNEY, a, 10-11 ... Owner 3

Also ran:—Beaucourt (Lea), Mutton Cutlets (Schofield), The Gnat (W. Hughes), Hukm (W. J. Lees), Intervention (J. Woodman), Krooner (Milburne), Young Lover (Knight), Paddington (Owner), Anisette (L. B. Rees), Sanctimonius (T. Tyler), Malton Lass (J. Elliott). (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Intervention, 4 to 1 The Knat, 6 to 1 Krooner, 6 to 1 Anisette, 8 to 1 Sanctify, 10 to 1 Hukm, 100 to 7 MATARO or any other.

Won by three-quarters of a length; one length.

The winner was bought in for 490 guineas.

2.0—HIGHFIELD STEEPLECHASE, £200. 3 m.
Major C. Wilson's b. g. PRINCE FRANCIS, by Travelling Lad—Sally in Our Alley, a, 11-5 .... J. Payne 1
Lady Nelson's ALLY SLOPER, a, 12-7 .... Mr. J. R. Anthony 2
Mr. R. Wigram's DUBLIN BAY, a, 10-13 .... L. B. Rees 3

Also ran:—Earnest (F. Lyall), Sultan VI. (H. Smyth). (Winner trained by Baxley.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. PRINCE FRANCIS, 3 to 1 Ally Sloper, 5 to 1 Dublin Bay, 11 to 2 Earnest, 10 to 1 Sultan VI.

Won by ten lengths; seven lengths.

2.30—LONG DISTANCE HURDLE, £100. 2½ m.
Lady Wilton's b. g. HEDU, by Succoth—Esthetic Anne, a, 11-12 .... Donnelly 1
Mr. H. Adams' A DOUBLE ESCAPE, 6, 11-0 .... Newey 2
Mr. J. McKeever's JENNY JONES, a, 12-5 .... G. Duller 3

Also ran:—Shining More (Mr. Barrie), Copper Hill (W. Payne), Baoudo (C. Young), Temeside (R. Wall), Nubian (R. Smith), Lochmore (Hehir), The Cuban (Hulme), New Time (R. Jones), Royal Flash (Roberts), Wingman (Mr. Bristow), Brownstown Belle (D. Dale), Son o' Lee (W. Elliott), Landowner (Bullock), Rouge Dragon (Lea). (Winner trained by T. Leader.)

Betting—Evens Jenny Jones, 2 to 1 agst. HEDU, 10 to 1 each Shining More, A Double Escape, and The Cuban, 100 to 8 each Copper Hill and Temeside, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by six lengths; five lengths.

3.0—MAIDEN HURDLE, £100. 2 m.
Lady Wilton's b. m. ANNOYA, by Acclaim—Nanoya, a, 12-5 .... Donnelly 1
Mr. C. Hatry's JUTE, a, 12-0 .... P. Woodland 2
Lt.-Col. F. Isaac's AIKEN DRUM, 4, 10-5 .... M. Dillon 3

Also ran:—Bobby Dazzler (Owner), Avezzano (J. Woodman), Amie Edgar (D. McKenna), Furry Glen (Gurney), Determination (Roberts), Coral Cup (J. Payne), Caustic Soda (G. Green), Allie Pally (Hulme), Toga (Rennison), St. Elian (W. Payne), Dorimant (Mr. J. R. Anthony), Teddie Dear (W. Fitzgerald), Deevee (Capt. Rogers), Gondola (Stubbs), Shooting Star (Barrett), Little Mischief (Wilkins), Nada (Hehir). (Winner trained by T. Leader.)

Betting—5 to 4 on ANNOYA, 6 to 4 agst. Jute, 100 to 6 Aiken Drum, 33 to 1 any other.

Won by five lengths; six lengths.

3.30—SMETHWICK STEEPLECHASE, £150. 2 m.
Mrs. Chester Master's ch. g. CARGO, by Raft—Murinda, 6, 11-11 .... W. Smith 1
Mr. C. Kenton's MY ROYAL, a, 11-6 .. G. Wright 2
Mr. C. Hill's ROMAN, a, 10-10 ..... T. Hulme 3

Also ran:—Heathencote (W. Payne), Sunnycroft (S. Jones), Castlewrixon Lad (W. Lees), Nadine (S. R. Lees). (Winner trained by Davis.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. Heathencote, 3 to 1 each CARGO and Roman, 8 to 1 My Royal, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; six lengths.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

A Belgian Society of bloodstock breeders has been started in Brussels.

The stallion Llangwym has arrived in France, and will stand this season at the Haras d'Houlbec.

A jockey named John Watkins, who has been riding in Italy, was knocked down and killed by a motor car at Milan on Monday.

Owners and trainers should note that entries for several well-endowed events at Limerick Junction, Dundalk, and Downpatrick meetings close to-day with Mr. Brindley, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

Five of the six races which comprised the programme at Birmingham yesterday were won by horses bred in Ireland—viz., Rathleague, Prince Francis, Hedu, Annoya, and Cargo.

Earl Fitzwilliam, who fractured a wrist while hunting during the Christmas holidays, is making good progress, but the effects of the injury are not likely to disappear for some time.

The directors of the International Horse Show, anticipating an unusually large entry, have decided to hold the Show on ten days instead of nine. Accordingly it will open at Olympia on June 16th and continue until June 26th.

Bazley is expected at Malton shortly with a string of over thirty horses. He will take up his residence at Highfield House, where I'Anson trained several good horses, including Dresden China, Chittabob, Jenny Howlett, Madame du Barry, Docker, Rochampton, Breadknife, Castor, and others.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Hurst Park Meeting:—Molesey Hurdle—Procurator. New Year Hurdle—Hurry Along. Walton Steeplechase—Prince Clifton. January Steeplechase—Rillett and The Wisp.

Hurst Park and Kempton Park Meetings:—Lady Craigie.

All hurdle races where there is a declaration of forfeit—Juvenile.

Lincoln engagements—Hazelwood.

Welbeck Plate (Lincoln)—Pagan Sacrifice.

Windsor Castle Stakes (Ascot), Eglinton Stakes (York), and Gimcrack Stakes (York)—Dalkeith colt.

Stayer Hurdle (Derby)—Othello's Gift.

St. George's Stakes (Liverpool Summer), Dee Stakes (Chester), Oaks Stakes (Epsom), and Coronation Stakes (Ascot)—Earne Combe.

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CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

TENBY, TUESDAY NIGHT.

The meeting arranged for Tenby during the next two days is of little more than local interest, entries being small. Hastings has sent W.W. and Ballymendel, and the pair should prove successful; while Darley and Bedplate having arrived, may also be expected to show to advantage. There are only five races each day. Selections:—

Victory Hurdle—Darley.
Wroughton's Steeplechase—W.W.
Licensed Victuallers' Hurdle—Bedplate.
Town Steeplechase—Ballymendel.
Grove Steeplechase—Snaccabac.

TENBY HUNT MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

4.0—VICTORY HURDLE, £40. 2 m. Age st. lb.
BUBBLY (Mr. D. Harrison) .... Owner 5 11 0
VISITATION (Mrs. A. Alexander) Doyle 5 11 0
LAGOON (Mrs. Mundy) .... D. Harrison 5 11 0
BROWN STUDY (Sir F. Price) .. Private 5 11 0
BEDPLATE (Mr. H. Young) .. H. Young 5 11 0
SUPER MAN (Mr. W. Bankier) Hastings 5 11 0
NORTHCOURT (Mr. H. Brueton) Chamberlain 6 10 12
SONTLEY (Mr. H. Dennis) ...... Private 6 10 12
LIFE BUOY (Col. D. Leslie) .... Hastings 6 10 12
ROYAL AID (Mr. F. Needham) .. Private a 10 12
MARTINPUICH (Mr. A. Preece) .... Hatt a 10 12
AVIEMORE (Mr. Rimington) ...... Owner 6 10 12
LITTLE MISCHIEF (Mr. E. Howett) Wilmot 4 10 10
LITTLE MILFORD (Mr. D. Thomas) Private 4 10 2
REPARATION (Sir H. Webb) .. Harrison 4 10 2
DARLEY (Mr. H. Young) ...... H. Young 4 10 2
STICK TO IT (Sir H. Webb) .... Harrison 6 10 12

3.0—WROUGHTON 'CHASE, £40. 2 m. Age st. lb.
W.W. (Mr. G. Hargreave) ...... Hastings a 11 8
MURRAY'S (Miss G. Tredwell) .. Roberts 6 11 8
AEROFIELD (Mr. R. Lacy) .... Hastings 5 11 8
GERALD L. (Maj. F. Murray) .... Gwilt 6 11 8
WHITEBOY (Sir H. Webb) .. D. Harrison a 11 8
PEMBROKE (Mr. D. Harrison) .... Owner a 10 8
LOST CHORD (Mr. T. Phelps) .... Private a 10 8
PENCOED (Lt.-Col. Lort Phillips) Private 5 10 8
COCKER (Mr. A. Preece) .... Hatt a 10 8
MERLON (Mr. C. Sixsmith) ...... Private 6 10 8

2.0—LICENSED VICTUALLERS' HURDLE, £40. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SHACCABAC (Mr. D. Harrison) .. Owner a 12 7
PADDINGTON (Mr. A. Preece) R. Gordon a 11 8
CROQUET KING (Mr. H. Dennis) Private a 11 7
BEDPLATE (Mr. H. Young) .... H. Young 5 11 0
TENACIOUS (Mr. J. Pendarves) .. Poole 4 10 13
BRUNSWICK (Mr. H. Brueton) Chamberlain a 10 12
NORTHCOURT (Mr. H. Brueton) Chamberlain 6 10 12
AMBITIEUX (Mr. J. Nelson) .. Ireland 4 10 7
WILLU (Mrs. M. Rimington) Rimington 4 10 0
MERRY JACKDAW (Mr. G. Stevenson) Stevenson 4 10 0

2.30—GROVE 'CHASE, £40. 2 m. Age st. lb.
HILLOCK (Mrs. Rimington) .. Rimington 6 12 3
SHACCABAC (Mr. D. Harrison) Harrison a 12 3
ROTTERDAM (Mrs. F. Barrie) .. Barrie 6 11 3
JOYCE'S CHOICE (Mr. Hemfray) Private a 11 3

3.30—TOWN 'CHASE, £40. 3 m. Age st. lb.
BALLYMENDAL (Col. D. Part) Hastings a 11 6
PADDINGTON (Mr. A. Preece) R. Gordon a 11 0
STICK TO IT (Sir H. Webb) .. Harrison 6 10 8
JOHNSON (Mr. A. Chamberlain) Chamberlain a 10 7
MOUNTAIN PASS (Mr. Davis) .. Private a 10 7

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HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

Date—January.	Meet.	Hour.
Sat. 17	Palmerstown	1.30
	THE KILDARE.	
Thurs. 15	Davidstown Cross-roads	11.15
Sat. 17	Enfield	11.0
	THE MEATH.	
Thurs. 15	Aclare	11.0
Fri. 16	Garadice	11.30

HUNTING FIXTURES.

KILDARE HOUNDS.—January—Monday, 19th, Kildangan (bye-day); Tuesday, 20th, 18-Milestone; Thursday, 22nd, Moat of Ardscull (11.15); Saturday, 24th, Courtown Gate; Tuesday, 27th, Allen; Thursday, 29th, Colbinstown Stn. (10.30); Saturday, 31st, Sallins. February—Tuesday, 3rd, Blessington; Thursday, 5th, Calverstown; Saturday, 7th, Maynooth; Tuesday, 10th, Furness; Thursday, 12th, Dunlavin (10.30); Saturday, 14th, Donadea Castle. Meet at 11 o'clock, except where otherwise stated.

CARLOW HOUNDS.—The meet advertised for Moyle on Friday, January 16th, is changed to Saturday, January 17th.

MEATH HOUNDS.—January:—Mon., 19th, Trimblestown House; Tues., 20th, Dowestown; Thurs., 22nd, Headfort; Fri., 23rd, Dunboyne (11.30); Mon., 26th, Bective; Tues., 27th, Rahinston (11.30); Thurs., 29th, Kilberry; Fri., 30th, Priestown (11.30). At 11 o'clock.

COURSING.

DUNSHAUGHLIN MEETING—YESTERDAY.

Judge—Mr. Davin. Slipper—Mr. W. Galligan.

BONESTOWN STAKES—For 16 Puppies. Winner, £20; second, £8; two dogs, £3 each.

Ticket of Leave beat Little Enfield; Faithful Ally beat Go to Jericho; Flying Lady IV. beat Foxtrot; Wee Ireland beat Raeburn; Three Speed beat Snow Maiden III.; Mild Day beat Victorious Lassie; Dolly Varden VII. beat Bambo; Freezing Fast beat Star of Bray.

SECOND ROUND.—Faithful Ally beat Ticket of Leave; Wee Ireland beat Flying Lady IV.; Three Speed beat Mild Day; Freezing Fast beat Dolly Varden VII.

TREVITT STAKES AND EARL OF FINGALL CUP.—For 14 All-ages. Winner, £20 and Cup; second, £8; two dogs, £2 10/- each.

Tuscar beat Nina; Navarre beat Bugle Note; Hammerman beat Ballyowen Boy II.; Mark Forward beat Irish Harp; Wee Celt beat Tip Top VII.; Wild Tempest beat Knockisland Boy; Castleknock Lad beat Bushey Belle.

SECOND ROUND.—Tuscar beat Navarre; Hammerman beat Mark Forward; Wild Tempest beat Wee Celt; Castleknock Lad a bye.

FOXHUNTERS' CUP (presented by Meath Hunt Club)—For 9 All-ages. Winner, £7 and Cup; second, £3.

Some Stuff beat Royal Express II.; Ratoath beat Uncle Dan; Gallant Lad II. beat Hidden Love II.; Victorious Lad beat Victorious Molly; Ballyfast a bye.

SECOND ROUND.—Some Stuff beat Ratoath; Gallant Lad II. beat Ballyfast; Victorious Lad a bye.

The storm which raged all through Monday night had a beneficial effect, inasmuch as the Dunshaughlin preserves were much drier under foot than would otherwise have been the case; but it scattered the game in all directions, with the result that beating operations were carried out under considerable difficulties. The first beat at Trevitt was practically a blank, but from the succeeding drive over Earl Fingall's lands at Berrillstown good progress was made. Then, however, the sport slowed down considerably, and, although plenty of hares were about, a halt had to be called when each stake had been run through twice. The coursing was of the usual excellent stamp provided by the club; indeed, better trials could not be desired. The four survivors in the puppy stake ran their courses like good greyhounds, as did Raeburn, between which and Wee Ireland there was very little at the finish; but, in the probable absence to-day of Freezing Fast, which was very hard run in her second spin, after showing smart form, Faithful Ally should pull through. Hammerman went a good bat in the Trevitt Stakes, but had lots the best of the handicap at the close of the day with Castleknock Lad. The latter had a punishing bye in the second round, and, as a result, the stake looks like going to Wild Tempest. The trio in the Foxhunters' Cup are a level lot, but Some Stuff should have pace enough to defeat Gallant Lad II. and Victorious Lad to-day.

BILLIARDS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

M. J. Vaughan defeated Fraser Farrar in the seventh heat at Messrs. Orme's Rooms, Soho square, London, yesterday afternoon by 766 points. Vaughan's best breaks were 42 (twice), 34, and 31, and Farrar's 42. Vaughan averaged 10 per innings for the whole game. Final scores:—

Vaughan 2,000
Farrar 1,234

STEVENSON v. AIKEN.

At Orme's Saloon, Manchester, yesterday afternoon, these professionals resumed their match of 16,000 up (Aiken with 1,000 start). Stevenson opened his account with a break of 225, to which Aiken replied with 45 and 162. The Scotch champion was also credited with 69. Then Stevenson got going nicely, and managed to reach his points with 324. Adjournment scores:—Aiken, 2,187; Stevenson, 2,005. At night play was rather tame, neither player being seen to advantage. The best breaks returned saw Aiken credited with 71, 87, 64, 81, and 149 (unfinished), while Stevenson hit up 66 and 51. Close of play:—

Aiken 2,801
Stevenson 2,354

FALKINER v. SMITH.

At Thurston's, Leicester square, London, yesterday afternoon Smith averaged 37 for an aggregate of 750, and made four centuries, against Falkiner, the match being one of 16,000 up, level. Smith's breaks were 112, 163, 149, and 135, and Falkiner's 151, 60, and 71. The latter only averaged 20 and scored 405. Interval scores:—Smith (in play), 2,000; Falkiner, 1,710.

INMAN v. NEWMAN.

When this match in the Victory tournament was resumed at Burroughes' Hall, London, yesterday, Newman, who had monopolised the table on Monday, was in hand with an incomplete break of 505, but, though well placed for a considerable advance, he broke down when the item amounted to 534. Still again he had much the best of the exchanges, his best breaks being 175, 117, 98, and 115 (unfinished), while the champion's only runs of importance were 166, 76, and 74. At the adjournment the scores were:—Newman (rec. 1,500), 3,314; Inman, 607.

INMAN'S MATCHES.

Yesterday Inman signed articles in London for matches of 16,000 up each for £100 a side, against Smith, Newman, and Falkiner, each of whom is to receive a start of 1,500. The first, against Newman, will be played at Thurston's Hall, commencing January 26th.

CHESS.

DUBLIN v. CAIRO.

On Monday a match between these clubs was played at the Dublin Chess Club, 20 Lincoln place. Twelve players were engaged on each side. The match resulted in a win for the Dublin Club by 8½ to 3½. Full score:—

Dublin Club.		Cairo Club.	
Mr. Doyle	1	Mr. Dickinson	0
Mr. Hobson	1	Mr. Bermingham	0
Mr. Moore	1	Mr. Ryan	0
Mr. Wallace	1	Mr. Beckett	0
Mr. Laracy	1	Mr. Reynolds	0
Mr. M'Ilwaine	0	Mr. Whelan	1
Mr. Varian	½	Mr. Sayers	½
Mr. Morrissey	1	Mr. Hickey	0
Mr. Dockrell	0	Mr. Jacobs	1
Mr. Gerrard	1	Mr. M'Carthy	0
Mr. Brett	0	Mr. Keating	1
Mr. Mahoney	1	Mr. Maguire	0
Total	8½	Total	3½

THE NATIONAL REVENUE.

SIGNIFICANT FIGURES.

The Exchequer receipts from April 1, 1919, to January 10, 1920, show an increase of £194,000,000 on the corresponding period of last year, while the expenditure shows a decrease of £944,000,000. The detailed figures are as follow:

RECEIPTS.

	Estimate for the year 1919-20. £	1st April, 1919, to 10th Jan., 1920. £
Customs	119,000,000	116,587,000
Excise	118,500,000	96,700,000
Estate, etc., Duties	33,500,000	28,358,000
Stamps	12,000,000	15,058,000
Land Tax and House Duty	2,500,000	600,000
Property and Income Tax	354,000,000	152,484,000
Excess Profits Duties, etc.	300,000,000	214,031,000
Land Value Duties	500,000	362,000
Post Office	41,000,000	30,700,000
Crown Lands	650,000	520,000
Sundry Loans, etc.	9,750,000	9,624,978
Miscellaneous	209,700,000	71,686,447
Total	£1,201,100,000	£736,711,425

EXPENDITURE.

	£	£
Permanent Charge of Debt	28,800,000	22,421,520
Interest, etc., on War Debt	330,200,000	255,929,348
Payments to Local Taxation Accounts, etc.	9,763,000	6,855,817
Land Settlement	5,000,000	2,170,069
Other Consolidated Fund Services	1,832,000	1,757,034
Supply Services	1,233,899,000	869,241,721
Total expenditure	£1,610,494,000	£1,158,375,509

RICHMOND ASYLUM ESTIMATES.

Alderman Patrick W. Corrigan, Chairman of the Joint Committee of the Richmond District Asylum writes:—

The estimate and demand to be considered by the Joint Committee at their meeting on 22nd instant (the monthly meeting which would in the ordinary course be held on 15th instant being postponed for a week on account of clashing with the elections in the city) will show the following reductions compared with last year:—

	Proposed Demand, 1920-21	Last Year's Demand, 1919-20.	Decrease.
City Dublin...	£125,942	£134,319	£8,377
Co. Dublin ...	41,770	42,690	920
Co. Wicklow...	16,530	18,806	2,276
Co. Louth ...	21,702	22,915	1,213
	£205,944	£218,730	£12,786

THE ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES.

The following gentlemen have been elected to the position of chairmen of the respective committees of the Royal Dublin Society:—

Industries, Art, and General Purposes Committee:—Chairman—Mr. S. W. Maddock, D.L. Vice-Chairman—Mr. Marcus Goodbody, J.P.

Committee of Science and its industrial applications:—Chairman—Mr. Felix Hackett, M.A., M.Sc., Ph.D. Vice-Chairman—Mr. George Fletcher (Assistant Secretary for Technical Instruction, Department of Agriculture).

Committee of Agriculture:—Chairman—Capt. Harry Greer, D.L. Vice-Chairman—Col. St. Leger Moore, C.B., D.L.

THE VINTNERS' ASSISTANTS' STRIKE.

There were no developments yesterday in connection with the strike of licensed grocers' and vintners' assistants in Dublin. Pickets of the strikers were again on duty outside the houses which have been able to remain open.

It was stated at the offices of the employers' Association that there had been no settlements since Sunday, and that nothing had been done by either side with a view to the meeting of the two bodies in conference.

To an *Irish Times* representative, Mr. Edward Flynn, President of the assistants' Union, expressed the opinion that the strike was proceeding satisfactorily from their point of view. Yesterday four more merchants agreed to the terms of the Union, and on the previous day five had "surrendered." Both sides, Mr. Flynn proceeded, were still so far apart that no definite understanding could be reached. Efforts were being made to arrange for a conference, but the position of the Union was that they would agree only to an open conference, under an independent chairman, on the whole demand. The attitude of the employers was that they would have a conference on the question of wages only. The assistants, however, regarded the questions for hours and of Sundays off in turn as vital. The Union was sending men as quickly as it could to the individual merchants who agreed to its terms.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH CHOIR.

An examination for probationers in St. Bartholomew's Church Choir will be held tomorrow, at 4 p.m., in the Parochial Hall, Clyde road, by Mr. Vipond Barry.

STRANGE INCIDENT NEAR CORK.

Alderman James Simcox, a former Lord Mayor of Cork, stated yesterday that he was held up and attacked on the previous night while driving alone from Cork City to his residence, Bloomfield, Rochestown, near Douglas. A man stopped him, and, getting into the trap, caught the reins. When he tried to push him out the man struck him under the jaw. After the horse had been pulled about for some time, Alderman Simcox said: "All right; I will go back with you." On the way back the Alderman hailed people in a cottage, and the man, a soldier, jumped out of the trap. The Alderman drove to Douglas, and, bringing back two policemen, gave into custody a man, who stated that his name was Patrick McCarthy, a soldier home on furlough. The man is held pending the action of the military authorities. He made no attempt to rob Mr. Simcox.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT MOTOR CYCLE CLUB.

The following officers were elected for the coming season at the annual general meeting of the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club:—President, Mr. N. E. Drury; vice-presidents, Messrs. G. A. M. Curtis, T. J. Dunphy, S. Manthorpe, J. Healy, S. L. Hutchinson, Major J. A. H. Waters, G. Mayne; hon. treasurer, Mr. P. H. Hurse; hon. secretary, Wm. H. Freeman; assistant hon. secretary, W. P. Nash; solicitor, Mr. P. Grimes; committee, Messrs. P. Grimes, Dene Allen, D. Doolin, A. Carton, T. Woods, J. Wilhelmj, J. Brown, and R. Walsh. The following competitions have been arranged:—St. Patrick's Day (17th March)—Open reliability trial to Glendalough or some other venue; Easter Monday—Run through Laragh, Woodenbridge, Aughavanagh, etc., for the Dunlop Cup; 1st May—Hill-climb; Whit Monday—Novices' trial; 12th June—Race meeting; 25th-26th June—Twenty-four hours' trial; 10th July—Hill-climb; 24th July—Reliability run; 31st July and 2nd August—Two days' trial; 14th August—100 miles handicap; 28th August—Reliability trial; 11th September—Paper chase; 2nd October—Concluding competition run.

GOLF.

PORTMARNOCK.—The January competition for the May Cup will be played to-day.

KILLINEY (Ladies).—The annual general meeting will be held in the clubhouse on Friday next, at 3 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin Y.M.C.A.—Prayer Meeting to-night at 8 o'clock. Leader, Mr. T. E. Woods. Boys' Department—Finders' Club, 8 p.m.

DERRY CLERGYMAN INJURED.—At Derry Recorder's Court, Rev. W. Macourt, M.A., St. Augustine's Church, sued Noel Smith, a shipyard engineer, for £50 for personal injuries and for damages to a bicycle. There was a counter-claim for £10 for damages to defendant's motor cycle. The case for the plaintiff was that when going along on an ordinary bicycle in John street, he was knocked down by the defendant on a motor bicycle, and rendered unconscious. When picked up Rev. Mr. Macourt was bleeding from a wound in the head. The defendant said that the plaintiff was "brakeing" his machine with his foot; his knee caught the handles, and he either lost his balance or lost control and swerved into the defendant. Judge Osborne accepted the plaintiff's version of the accident, and gave a decree for £40.

DUNGANNON WAR MEMORIAL.—At a largely-attended meeting of the Dungannon War Memorial Committee it was unanimously decided to erect a suitable memorial in Dungannon Market Square, and the Committee resolved to immediately place the work in the hands of Mr. Pomeroy, the well-known London R.A. The memorial will take the form of a bronze figure of a soldier on a raised marble pedestal. The Earl of Ranfurly, who was present, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman and the secretary for the trouble that they had taken in the matter.

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The Acme of Perfection in Motor Char-a-Bancs.

A cordial invitation is given to interested parties to inspect the above Demonstration Char-a-Banc.
During 1919 close on 40 new machines of this exceptionally sweet-running, economical and reliable make were sold to Touring Company Proprietors in Blackpool.
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MARKET REPORTS.

GRAIN.—DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—A very sparse attendance of the trade at to-day's Corn Exchange gathering, and practically no business of general interest was transacted, certainly none with any influential bearing on prices. Barley continues with rather an uncertain undertone, and few sellers can be found to accept terms offered. Black oats show little change, prices being from 28/- to 29/-; whites have a decidedly firmer tone, and some more doing for shipping. With regard to oats generally, there is certainly a firmer trend in values, but this arises more from the force that is behind them from growers' end. White oats range from, say, 30/6 to 32/-; some holders of extra nice parcels are not disposed to sell under 34/6 and 35/-, and it is possible that ere long they will come into their own; as before noted, the trend is in that direction. Irish wheat remains nominally in control at 42/6 to 42/9 per barrel.

I BUY OATS.—A. H. SMITH, 10 Burgh quay, Dublin.—(Advt.)

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (THE BALTIC), Tuesday.—WHEAT—An Argentine cargo per Clarissa Radcliffe, allocated to Bristol Channel at 59/- per 480lbs. MAIZE firm, with few offers; Argentine March quoted 66/- per 480lbs. BARLEY nominal, in absence of offers. OATS quieter; Argentine 42lbs. January-February quoted 55/-, and February-March 54/- per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—C.i.f. parcels of WHEAT were active, and MAIZE firm, with 87/6 per qr. paid for American mixed shipment by January 24, and River Plate sold by the Commission at 65/-, with their price paid in the open market for April-May shipment. BEANS, PEAS, and OATMEAL steady at late rates. BARLEY firm, and River Plate dearer. OATS generally firm, and held for more money, especially American white, but the advance somewhat checked business. MILL OFFALS firm on continued scarcity. In WHEAT PARCELS afloat, No. 2 mixed winter sold at 58/-, No. 3 Manitoba 57/-, No. 2 Manitoba 59/-, No. 2 tough Manitoba 58/-, No. 4 Garlicky winter 54/6, No. 5 53/6, and No. 2 red winter at 58/- per qr. Australian afloat sold to Manchester at 61/-, and rejected No. 1 Manitoba at 59/- per qr. Canadian feed BARLEY arrived at Manchester held at 73/6 per qr. OATS and BEANS in forward positions inactive.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.—English wheat in good demand. English oats wanted at advancing prices; foreign steady, and 2/- dearer. Local wheat, 72/- to 76/6; Australian, 65/-; Plate, 64/-; maize, 67/- to 71/6; oats, 60/- to 70/-; barley 100/- to 120/-; beans, 120/- to 130/- per quarter; G.R. flour, 44/3 per sack.

CATTLE.—NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.—Owing to transport difficulties the market was a small one. There was a big demand. There were 237 cattle penned against 343 a week ago. The number of sheep was 2,034, about 1,000 fewer than last Tuesday. There were no pigs marketed.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Supplies of cattle consisted of about 460 from Birkenhead, 100 from the North Country, and 480 from Wales. Quality generally was about average. About 2,400 sheep were on offer. North Country animals numbered 2,014, and were of good quality, but the remainder, which were Welsh, were in poor condition. At Manchester 1,130 pigs were shown, 1,118 being Irish. Quality was good and demand keen.

DERBY, Tuesday.—Rather larger supplies of fat cattle, which were mostly local-fed. Eleven were rejected, but otherwise quality was fair, and all were sold at controlled rates. Sheep were also a larger entry, but 51 were rejected, though quality otherwise was good. Skins made 13/6 each. Calves met a very dear trade at 1/10 per lb. Numbers in the market:—Cattle 228, sheep 226, calves 34, pigs 1.

PROVISIONS.—DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—Trade for potatoes remains slow and limited. With return of fine weather no doubt growers will become more anxious to reduce pit stocks. It is generally rumoured, too, that quality of tubers is not holding out so satisfactorily as in previous seasons. City supplies very moderate, but no stint in covering requirements. Best quality potatoes still quoted at 9/- to 9/6 per cwt. for Dates, Champions, and Skerries.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—There is no new feature in the BACON situation here, while partially lower prices for live hogs are cabled from Chicago, with products irregular, though generally dearer. Importers still have liberal supplies of first grade bacon in hand, but the demands are only moderate, Canadian being exceptionally scarce and wanted, though few American Wiltshires and fresh bellies are inquired for, and other cuts inactive, with, however, maximum prices realised where business results. Poorer qualities fail to attract notice. HAMS are readily cleared at full prices, despite increased offerings. Shoulders slow of sale, square cut being practically the only selections asked for. LARD on the spot freely offered with regard to American refined, which moves moderately into consumption, but prime steam remains scarce. Chinese BACON neglected, but Irish fairly active at the fixed rates. Danish arrivals still eagerly looked for. CHEESE steady, with a fair business reported at 1/5½ per lb. delivered to retailers. A further allotment of imported is about due. BUTTER firm, and freely absorbed on the Government terms. EGGS firm on extreme scarcity, with Irish nominal, Canadian and American at controlled price of 40/-, and Egyptian 26/2 per 120.

JAMES J. HALPIN, Wholesale Bacon Merchant, 18-19 Thomas st., Dublin. Telegrams—"Middles." 'Phone 1716. Specialising in O'Mara's, Ltd., products.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—Irish apples keep fairly well in evidence, and still selling well at 21/- to 28/- and 34/- to 36/- per barrel, 12/- to 14/6 per keg; Cork boxes, 6/- to 10/-, and rough and mixed sorts, in boxes, etc., cheaper. Imported fruit mostly selling on stock terms—Black grapes, 2/6 to 3/6 and 4/- per lb.; Almerias, 30/- to 35/- and 40/- per barrel; Java oranges, 28/- to 30/- per case; Newton Pippin apples, 24/- to 26/- per box. Imported onions plentiful—Dutch, 13/- to 14/- per bag; Valencia fours, fives, and sixes, 20/- to 25/-. Bad weather narrowed supplies of home, field, and garden vegetables; prices greatly down; cabbage and swedes especially sold comparatively cheap—York cabbage, 20/- to 30/-, 40/-, and 51/6 per load; Savoys, 25/- to 40/- and 45/-; Swedes, 1/9 to 2/- and 2/4 per cwt.; white turnips, 8d. to 1/4 per bundle; carrots, 1/3 to 1/9 per dozen bundles; parsnips, 7/6 to 9/- per cwt.; celery, 3/6 to 5/6 per bundle; rhubarb, 5/3 per dozen; ditto; sprouts, 2/10 to 3/- and 4/- per tray, etc.; leeks, 4d. to 6d. per bunch; broccoli, 4/- to 5/6 and 6/6 per dozen; seconds, 1/8 to 3/3 ditto.

HALSTON STREET POULTRY AND GAME, Tuesday.—Supplies of chickens show some fresh increase, which has brought prices again into a more reasonable range, but turkeys, fat geese, and ducks are only in fair compass, and are all short of requirements of the trade, and carry relatively high prices. Rabbits, too, do not nearly meet demand. Hares more plentiful and cheaper. It might be worth mentioning as a prospective bearing on values in this country that recently rather important supplies of poultry have arrived in England from South America, South Africa, Canada, the United States, and also an appreciable quantity from China. These, and the possible increase of further deliveries, will, no doubt, ease the demand on this country for shipment across Channel. Some French turkeys, too, have been featuring in England recently. With regard to prices, best ordinary chickens make from 5/- to 6/- apiece; coop-fed lots, 7/6 to 8/6 and 9/- each; other sorts, 3/3 to 4/6; best ordinary hens, 5/- to 6/- each; extra heavy, fat, 8/- to 9/-; others, 3/6 to 4/6 each; prime cock turkeys, 26/- to 50/-; hen ditto, 15/- to 26/- and 30/- each; prime ordinary ducks, 5/- to 6/- each; extra heavy, young, 7/- to 8/-; others, 3/6 to 4/6; hares, 3/- to 3/6 each; young partridge, 3/3; old, 1/6; cock pheasants, 5/6; hen ditto, 5/-; grey plover, 1/8; green, 10d.; curlew and quests, 1/- to 1/3; snipe, 6d. to 9d. and 1/-; young pigeons, 2d.; old, 4d.; wild duck, 3/- to 3/6; widgeon, 1/5 to 2/-, and teal, 1/- to 1/3; best rabbits, 1/9 to 2/-; others, 1/6 to 1/8.

DUBLIN FISH, Tuesday.—There were 134 boxes of fish on market this morning from two steamers, but only some oddments from other sources; 50 packages herrings, 17 of mackerel, and 3 chests lobsters also came in. One salmon on market was said again to have reached the price of 14/- per lb., or thereabouts. Best lobsters averaged 25/- to 30/- per 13, and others, 10/- to 22/- per 13, average; herrings went up to 50/- per barrel, and mackerel, 30/- to 32/6 per box. Other classes of fish were weighed up and sold around control prices; plaice, say, 10/- to 12/6 per stone; soles, 1/8 to 2/- and 2/4 per lb.

GRIMSBY FISH, Tuesday.—Supply fairly good from 32 North Sea and two Iceland trawlers; keen demand. English cod, 11/- to 12/-; sprags, 10/-; plaice, 17/- to 20/-; dabs, 13/-; roker, 14/- to 15/-; gibbed haddocks, 9/6; whitings, 9/-; Iceland cod, 8/- to 9/- per stone; soles, 2/-; turbots, 1/4; brills, 1/3 per lb.

LONDON BORO' AND SPITALFIELDS POTATO, Tuesday.—Supplies lighter, and prices firm, especially for best quality. Lincoln King Edwards quoted at 14/- to 15/-; British Queens, 13/- to 14/-; Arran Chiefs, 12/-; Essex King Edwards, 12/- to 13/-; Arran Chiefs, 11/- to 11/6; Blackland King Edwards, 11/- to 12/-, and Arran Chiefs, 10/- to 11/- per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BACON has ruled generally quiet. An arrival of Danish is expected within the next few days. HAMS quiet, but firm. LARD quiet, with supplies on the spot rather scarce. CHEESE—The January distribution is completed; decontrol is expected at the end of the month, but no official intimation has yet been received by the factors. EGGS—All classes were very scarce, and prices remain on the control basis. BUTTER—A distribution of confectionery grades is proceeding; prices remain unaltered.

BUTTER AND EGGS.—LITTLE GREEN, Tuesday.—Supplies of trade for butter at present more or less confined to store creams and some oddments of fresh makes, which apparently just satisfy the demand. There are also some small lots of extra good factories changing hands, but secondary classes of farmers' butter are unusually hard to move at uncertain prices. Choice creams and A1 factories figure around 2/11, but secondary factories are from 2/9 to 2/10, and farmers' butter from 2/5 to 2/7½ and 2/8 per lb. Should the de-controlling of butter which takes place in England as from the 2nd February prox. be extended to Ireland, there would be a sweep of all Irish butter out of the country, as without doubt the English trade would pay terms that would stifle competition here. However, so far, it is apparently not the intention of the authorities to remove restrictions here. With regard to eggs supplies seem to keep round about the level of a week ago, as the shipping trade has stirred up and appears to be drawing largely on available supplies throughout the country. Prices still are nominally controlled—viz., 50/- for case eggs, and 50/9 for selected grades.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—Firsts, 300/-; fresh butter, 300/- per cwt.

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CORK.—(Advt.)

PRODUCE.—LONDON, Tuesday.—SUGAR:—Market remained firm on manufacturing account, with a fair demand. Coffee—Spot market steady. Futures quiet; March quoted 125/-, May 123/6, July 122/3, September 121/-, December 119/6 cwt. COCOA—No auctions held; privately market ruled steady. TEA—19,000 packages Ceylon in auction met with fair support, but prices irregular, common sorts being ½d. to 1d. per lb. lower; fine descriptions, however, ruled fairly steady; Pekoe sold 1/1½ to 1/9, broken 1/3 to 1/10, Pekoe Souchong 1/1 to 1/5½, orange Pekoe 1/3½ to 1/9, broken orange 1/4½ to 2/1¼ per lb. SPICE—Pepper steady; fair black Singapore spot sellers 11d., January-March 11½d. Tellicherry spot 1/1½. Alleppy 11½d., white Muntok 1/5½, white Singapore 1/5, Zanzibar cloves 2/4½. Pimento 6½d. FLAKE TAPIOCA spot 5½d. lb., fair Penang seed pearl 37/-. Sago Flour January-March 32/6, Farina spot 39/- per cwt. RICE—Market remains quiet. Rangoon bran, also beans, slow of sale. JUTE—Market fully steady and holders reserved, with transactions on a moderate scale; native first marks assortment actuals January-February, London and Dundee, sellers £66, ditto substitutes £59. Daisee No. 2 Association group £56 per ton. Calcutta Hessians and twills firmly held. HEMP—Manilla sparingly offered and values hardened; J grade January-March sold £62 10/- to £62 15/- per ton, with undergrades at proportionate prices. New Zealand firm but quiet; Russian featureless; Italian quiet. SHELLAC—Market quiet; fair T.N. spot sellers 900/-, March delivery nominally 905/-, May 890/- cwt. COPRA firm; sun-dried Straits January-March London £70, ditto Rotterdam £70 10/-, Antwerp £70 10/-. PALM KERNELS afloat £44 per ton. RUBBER market quiet; plantation standard crepe, also smoked ribbed sheet, spot sold 2/8¼ to 2/8½, January 2/8¼, February-March 2/8½, April-June quoted 2/9¼, July-December 2/9½; fine hard Para spot 2/7½, March-April 2/7½, soft fine spot 2/5½; Caucho ball spot 1/9½ per lb. OILS—Linseed steady, quiet; spot naked net 108/-, January-April 107/-, May-August 100/-. Palm, soft, December-January 96/-, Lagos 97/-. Palm kernel 103/-. China wood—Hankow spot 140/-, Hong Kong 127/6. Rape, cotton, cokernut, etc., unaltered. Turpentine active and values further hardened; American spot 192/6, F.B. April 194/-, May-August 183/9 per cwt. Petroleum and rosin unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed market firmer; Argentine January-February sold £41, February-March £40, March-April buyers £39 15/-; Indian nominal. Rapeseed firm, with few actual offers. Cottonseed maintained; London Egyptian f.a.q. January quoted £29 10/-, February £29, Bombay February-March sold £23, ditto to Hull quoted £24 10/- per ton.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—The market continues steady.

MISCELLANEOUS. — LIVERPOOL COTTON (First Report), Tuesday.—Market irregular—January, 27.45d.; February, 25.61d.; March, 25.80d.; April, 25.11d.; May, 24.36d.; June, 23.80d.; July, 23.29d.; August, 22.26d.; September, 22.10d.; October, 21.33d.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (closing), Tuesday.—American quotations advanced 28 points. Brazilian quotations raised 28 points. East India quotations reduced 28 points. Egyptian fair request. January 27.66d., February 26.80d., March 25.96d., April 25.2?d., May 24.46d., June 23.84d. Sales 7,000, imports 17,016 bales. Market steady.

HAY AND STRAW.—SMITHFIELD, Tuesday.—Arrivals of both hay and straw here this morning were on a small scale owing to storm and wet. Hay buyers were again in limited attendance, and their wants did not put much force into business. An attempt to advance prices in early stage of market proved unsuccessful, and terms eventually worked out upon about previous basis for fairly dry stuff. Choice strong hay, 13/3 to 13/6, and County Dublin first crop, 14/-; medium sorts, second and third crop, 12/3 to 13/-; prime strong old meadow, 11/- to 11/6 and 12/6 per cwt.; fair, 9/9 to 10/9; other descriptions, 7/6 to 9/- and 9/6 per cwt. Straw market generally dearer, and sold up steadily—Oaten of best feed class, 6/-, 6/6, ..., and a few extra nice lots, 7/- per cwt.; other classes, 4/6 to 5/6; wheaten straw, 3/6, 3/9, to 4/3, and a few loads of extra nice dry class 4/6 per cwt.

LONDON, Tuesday.—Moderate supplies passed off with steady demand at full rates. Hay, clover, and mixtures quoted at £15 10s to £16, and straw ranges from 100/- to 125/- per ton, delivered.

TRADE REPORT.—MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—Though in various directions merchants are giving cloth sellers a welcome respite, the pause is only regarded as temporary, and the aggregate of business offering from other sources is still considerable. The smaller outlets are comparatively the more active inquirers. Price and delivery, as usual, obstruct progress. American yarns very firm, with only a moderate turnover in any description.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN continued in demand, while irregular and firmer, though below the best, cash being 30/- and forward 15/- higher since Monday's close. Cash £379 10/- to £379 15/-, three months £381 10/- to £381 15/-, settlement price £379 10/-. Sales 650 tons, cash £381 10/- to £379, and March £381, three months £386 to £381 10/-. COPPER in fair request, and values little changed. Standard cash £119 15/- to £120, three months £122 5/- to £122 10/-, settlement price £120. 2,000 tons sold, cash £120, three months £123 to £123 10/- to £122 10/-, electros £124 to £125, best selected £124 to £125, strong sheets £167. LEAD easier. 2,500 tons sold February £47, March £47 10/- to £47 7/6, April £48 to £51 per ton. SPELTER rather lower. 900 tons sold April £60 10/-, May £60 15/- to £61 per ton. TINPLATES rather firmer; 14 x 20 nominal at 60/- spot and 59/- forward per box. QUICKSILVER quoted £23 10/- per bottle.

LONDON FREIGHTS—TUESDAY.

General market conditions for homeward tonnage show little variation, chartering on private account being limited, but owners not pressing, and rates maintained. Meanwhile directed vessels find employment at full schedule rates. From River Plate tone quieter, though free tonnage by no means plentiful, and maize cargo up river loading quoted 152/6, Buenos Ayres 142/6 per ton, with directed tonnage 65/- and 62/6, respectively, to United Kingdom. Continent also quiet, with 150/- to Rotterdam, Antwerp, and 200/- Mediterranean. American Atlantic sea board and tonnage has been booked from Northern Range for heavy grain at 8/6 per quarter to United Kingdom, with proportionate increases to France, Belgium, and Italy. Gulf grain to French Atlantic 16/-, and port, Italy, 19/- per quarter. American coals firm; business still restricted owing to difficulty in obtaining cargoes, the trade being chiefly confined to American vessels that can guarantee loading to River Plate. British tonnage quoted 72/6, American 14 dollars, with 15 to 16 dollars to Brazils, 23 dollars French Atlantic, 25½ dollars Marseilles, and 26 dollars Italy. West India sugar cargoes rule at 50/- per ton home, but much higher rates are obtainable to the Continent. Eastern markets generally quiet. Bombay-Karachi quoted 100/- on dead weight home, 105/- Antwerp, and Rangoon rice meal 200/- United Kingdom. Madras coast kernels 200/- to Marseilles. Australia and South Africa seek further space for grain at limitation rates. Alexandria—Cottonseed to United Kingdom quotes 42/6 to 45/6 per sixty cubic feet. Ore rates steady, unaltered, with moderate inquiry, but space required for fruit from Spanish ports at full rates. Time charter firm, with active inquiry large steamers for twelve months' general trading. Outward markets quiet, owing to scarcity of coal difficulties.

ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND.

Mr. George P. Beckett, the President, presided at a meeting of the Architectural Association of Ireland last evening in South Frederick lane, Dublin, at which a lecture on "Inscriptions" was given by Mr. George Atkinson, R.H.A. The lecturer, as a preliminary to a proper understanding of inscriptions, traced the development of the Roman alphabet through the influence of tool and material, and emphasised the necessity for a correct appreciation of the natural growth of letter forms in grading the choice between good and bad forms. An interesting series of lantern slides was shown of Roman inscriptions in stone and marble, and the subsequent variations of the letter forms as found in manuscript. Coming at the present time, when the demand for inscriptions for memorials is so great, the lecture was most opportune and useful to the members of the Association. At the conclusion a cordial vote of thanks was passed to the lecturer.

Albert Edward Redfern, ex-Army officer, accused of the Leeds bank murder and robbery, when again before the local magistrates yesterday appeared to be in much better health, and was for the first time able to mount the step into the dock unassisted. The proceedings were quite formal, and Redfern was remanded until Monday, when a day will be fixed to complete the police court proceedings against him.

Fits.—"Epilepsy: Its Causes, Symptoms, and Treatment," by Gilbert Dale. Contents—Introduction, Causes of Epilepsy, Forms and Effects of Epilepsy, The Treatment. Post free sixpence.—Colston Publishing Co., Ltd., 26 Bassishaw House, Basinghall st., London, E.C.2.—(Advt.)

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FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

IRREGULAR BUT MOSTLY FIRM MARKETS. COATS AGAIN WEAKER. "CASHEL" STOCK UP TO 75.

The course of prices on 'Change was again favourable on balance, with specialities lively, and the more staid securities mostly quiet and featureless. The Funds moved erratically. Consols rose 1-16, but War Loans fell ⅛ to 1-16. Indian Stocks were steady. Banks remain practically featureless. Nationals remain sellers. The Hibernian Bank dividend has been increased from 7 to 8 p.c. Prices in Breweries and Distilleries and Marconis marked time. The feature in Home Rails was the fresh rise in Great Southern and Western Ord. to 75. Trams were idle, but firm. Dunlop Rubber issues were active, especially the "Letters," at an improving price. Textiles, outside Coats and Spinners, were all higher, with Cottons good. Coats were again conspicuously weak. Oil Shares remain wonderfully active and good, and Tobacco Shares were on a firm footing.

In the Funds, Consols rose 1-16 to 51⅛, but War Loan 5 p.c. fell 1-16 to 91 11-16, and Funding and Victory 4 p.c. ⅛ each to 76⅛ and 81⅞ respectively. India 3 p.c. remain at 54.

Dealing in Banks was confined to Nationals, which fell ⅛ to 19⅞. Munsters and Leinsters show continued scarcity, and did not offer, though bid for.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. repeated 35¾; but the Pref. fell ⅛ to 10⅞. Dublin Distillers Ord. were a further 3d. dearer at 50s.

In Marconis, the Ord. show no change at 87s. 6d., but the New Ord. rose 6d. to 22s.-22s. 6d.

The changes in Home Rails include a rise of ½ to 75 in Great Southern and Western Ord. Great Northern repeated 84, but the Guaranteed rose 1½ to 68½. Dublin and South-Eastern Ord. fell ¾ to 21, but the Pref. rallied ½ to 50½.

In Trams, Dublin United Pref. rose 1-16 to 10 1-16.

Dunlops closed firm. Parent Ord. remain at 23s. 6d., but Def. rose 3d. to 65s.-65s. 3d. Dunlop Rubber "Letters" opened 6d. better at 41s. 6d., and later dealing was at 42s. and 43s. 6d. The Ord. fell 1-16 to 10 11-16 buyers.

In Manufacturing, Textiles alone quoted. Coats were again sold. The Ord. fell 1s. to 71s., and the "Letters" 2s. to 46s., while the new "B" Pref. rose 9d. to 19s. 3d. Spinners eased 3d. to 87s. 3d., but Cottons rose 1-16 to 5 11-16. Bleachers 1s. to 50s., Dyers 6d. to 63s., and Calicos 3d. to 38s. 6d.

In Trading, etc., there was nothing of interest beyond a rise of 6d. to 15s. 6d. in Brooks Thomas Pref. Shares.

Among other business done, Imperial Tobacco rose 4½d. to 69s. 4½d., Kern River Oil 9d. to 37s. 3d., and Mexican Eagles 1-16 to 11⅞-29-32. Shells eased 1-16 to 12⅞-⅞, after the previous day's strength. Scottish-American Oils repeated 30s. White Tomkins new Ord. improved 3d. to 25s. 3d.

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BUSINESS DONE:—

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5% War Ln.	..(92⅛) 91 11-16	Do. "Letters"	
Funding Ln.	...(76¼) 76⅛		41/6 2/- 3/6
Victory Bonds	..(82) 81⅞	Bleachers (49/-)	49/6 50/-
War Bonds (1922)	...98½	Brad. Dyers	...(62/6) 63/-
Do. (1927)	98	Calicos	......(38/3) 38/6
India 3%	......(54) 54	Coats	......(72/-) 71/-
National Bk.	..(19¼) 19⅞	Do. "Letters"	......46/-
Dublin Dist. Ord.		Do. "B" Pref.	......19/3
	(49.9) *50/-	Sewing Cotton	..(5⅝) 5 11-16
Guinness	......(35¾) 35¾	Fine Spin.	......(87/6) 87/3
Do. Pref.	......(10¼) 10⅞	Brooks Pref.	..(15/-) *15/6
Marconi	......(87/6) 87/6	Findlater Pref.	
Do. New	......22/- 2/6		(15/8) 15/3
D.S.E. Rail	......(21¾) 21	Parkes Pref.	......(15/-) 15/-
Do. Pref.	......(50) 50½	Civil Ser. Build.	..(22) 22
G.N. Ord.	......(84) 84	Hibernian Fire	......5/1+
Do. Guar.	......(67½) 68½	Imperial Tobacco	..69/4½
G.S.W. Ord.	......(74½) 75	Do. Canada	......25/-
Dublin Tram Pref.		White Tomkins (New)	
	(10) 10 1-16		25/3
Parent Ord.	..(23/6) 23/6	Kern River (New)	..37/3
Do. Def.	..(65/-) *65/- 5/3	Mex. Eagle Ord.	..11⅞-⅞
		Scot.-Amer. Oil	......30/-
		Shells	......12⅞-⅞

*Odd lot.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

STRENGTH OF STOCKS.

SHARP RECOVERY IN GILT-EDGED SECURITIES.

GOOD TONE DEVELOPS IN INVESTMENTS AFTER EARLY DULNESS.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Nothing could more clearly demonstrate the inherent strength of the Stock Markets than the resisting power which they continue to show to influences that might reasonably be described as adverse. In spite of doubts as to how the Exchequer Bonds are to be repaid next month, in spite of the unsettled labour outlook, and in spite of selling from France and Germany, the activity of the Stock Markets, generally, can only be described as wonderful. In the Oil section, indeed, the volume of business has still further expanded, and Shells and Mexican Eagles soared to higher quotations. As regards the Investment department, the tone in the morning was distinctly dull, but in the afternoon there was a complete change of sentiment. A smart rally was experienced in gilt-edged securities and in Home Rails. The recovery in the former was based upon a growing belief that no public loan will be issued in connection with the Government's maturing liabilities, while the rally in Home Rails was due to the acceptance of more hopeful views regarding the railway situation. The decline in Mexican Securities continued, and these stocks have practically executed the very neat "as you were," for they are mostly back to the quotations from which the recent rise commenced. Argentine Rails were heavy in the morning on a renewal of selling orders from France. Of course, it is obvious that in the present state of exchange it is good business for the French investor to sell here. Such selling, however, has no relation to the economic outlook of the Argentine, and it is worthy of note that as soon as the Continental sales had ceased Argentine Railway Securities improved with the generally better tone. Foreign Bonds were heavy in anticipation that liquidation from Germany will shortly assume larger proportions. Chinese Stocks particularly came under this influence, while Argentine and Brazilian Bonds were also affected. The French Loans were easier in connection with the French Treasury Bill *fiasco*.

LONDON STOCKS IRREGULAR.

The Stock Exchange did not have an active session, and general conditions were irregular. Wire communications with the provinces and the Continent were again bad, owing to the continued gale, but this did not prevent some cheerful demonstrations in specialities. Rumours of a domestic loan operation, and preparations for a Western Australian issue of 1½ millions in 5¾ p.c. at 98, caused initial heaviness in gilt-edged issues, but there was a decided improvement towards the finish. Gilt-edged issues see-sawed, but closed cheerfully. War Fives were finally 1-16 better at 91⅞, and the 3½ Loan recovered ⅛ to 86. The 4½ p.c. Loan did not vary. Consols and the Funding Loan were inclined to go better, and Colonial descriptions were spottily cheerful.

Changes.—Rises: Consols, ⅛ to 51⅛; 3½ p.c. War Loan, ⅛ to 86; 5 p.c. War Loan, 1-16 to 91⅞; 2¾ p.c. Irish Land Stock, ⅛ to 52⅛. Fall: Victory Bonds, ⅛ to 81⅞.

FRENCH BONDS FLAT.—In the Foreign market French Loans were flat on the poor response to French Treasury bill offer, when only £1,240,000 was subscribed. It is wondered what steps are being taken with regard to the £8,000,000 old French Treasuries, which the proceeds of the new issue was to replace. Russians were quiet and heavy. Fears of German selling affected Chinese issues and South American descriptions to some extent. Egyptians were on the firm side, the latest news from Cairo reporting a further improvement in the political situation. Among South Americans, Peruvians were realised, and the Pref. receded ½ to 34. There were one or two losses of a point among Brazilian Loans.

Changes.—Falls: Chinese Fives, 1 to 83; do. 4½ p.c., 1 to 68; do. 5 p.c. (1912), 1 to 69; Mexican Gold Fives, 1 to 52½; Peruvian Pref., ½ to 34; French 5 p.c., ¼ to 61⅛; do. 4 p.c., 49⅞-50⅛.

HOME RAILS QUIET.—In the Home Railway market the opening was quiet and depressed, but in the early afternoon a distinctly better tone asserted itself, as the result of statements that the railwaymen were in a good mood to make concessions if some of their requests were granted. On balance many of the Trunk and Trade group recovered ⅛ to ½. Passenger issues displayed some irregularity. Undergrounds mostly kept close around overnight levels.

CANADIANS WEAKER—MEXICANS UNCHANGED.—Canadian Pacifics were unsteady at 173, Wall street cables still being the reverse of helpful. Among Grand Trunk issues there was little business to report, and the tone was dull. The Guaranteed Fours were unchanged at 57½, the publication of a weekly traffic increase having no stimulating effect. Mexican Rails were awaiting a fresh lead, but, after being easier, they rallied, and finished about unchanged. Argentine Rails were finally put ½ better in several cases, on hopes of further good traffics. Brazilian Rails were steady, but colourless.

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PALMER'S SHIPBUILDING STRONG. MOTOR RUMOURS. DUNLOPS UP.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Business in the Miscellaneous and Industrial sections yesterday was still on a large scale, though improvements, on the whole, were kept within fairly narrow margins. For this the dislocation of the telegraphic service by the gale was again partly responsible, but several instances of activity kept interest well alive. The Iron and Steel group appeared somewhat subdued with one or two noteworthy exceptions, which displayed considerable liveliness. Hadfields were still in demand, some buying again coming through from the North, while Lysaghts still enjoyed prominence in connection with the Guest-Keen absorption, though the latter company's shares were a trifle easier. A further minor demonstration on the part of Courtaulds failed to galvanise the Textile section into any kind of activity, and Nitrates, on the whole, remained in the background. Motors provided more interest than for some time, chiefly on amalgamation rumours. From one quarter it was suggested that the Humber Company had received an offer for its works from the Ford Company, which had been followed by a higher bid from the Rolls-Royce Company. With the motor industry so completely represented, it was small wonder that the story sent the Humber Company's shares spurting forward. Again, it was said that the General Motor Company of America had acquired the works of the Austin Company, which are admirably situated for massed production efforts. Should there prove to be any grounds for mooting the idea, a rather interesting position would arise in connection with the options possessed by the Pref. shareholders of the Austin Company. The 6 p.c. B Prefs., at present ruling about 17s., carry with them options on the Ord. Shares on the basis of one Ord. Share at par for every three Prefs. held, but the options are not exercisable before 1922. If the company should be sold, therefore, the Pref. shareholders would be legally entitled to compensation, the obligation of the company not being voidable on account of the sale. Elsewhere among Miscellaneous descriptions, Dunlops were a special feature, rising well above the opening price, while P. and O. Def., in the Shipping list, were remarkable for no further advance. Van den Berghs were again to the fore among Foodstuffs.

The last few business days have witnessed continuous progress on the part of P. and O. Def., which have maintained interest in the Shipping section by advances of from 5 to 10 points daily. The Stock was steady about the opening price of 630 yesterday, and closed without change, as also did Royal Mail at 193½. Other Shipping Securities were firm, and such movements as occurred were on the up grade. No further rises of importance were recorded in the Canadian-American section, which, on the whole, presented a rather irregular front, though rises of ⅞ in the case of Brazilian Traction at 60⅞, 1½ in Dominion Steels, and 2 points in the case of Spanish River Pulp served to infuse liveliness into the remainder of the group. Land Shares were remarkable for no special movements, and the list on balance showed up rather irregularly. Duffs improved 1s. 6d. to 20s. 3d., and British North Borneos were inclined to harden at 18s. Nigers were 6d. to the good at 80s., and so were Pekins at 35s., and Rios eased fractionally to 13s. 3d., and Sudan Plantations lost ⅛ at 8⅞. On the whole, the Iron and Steel groups inclined to be a little easier yesterday, though declines were not numerous, and one or two outstanding features brightened up the list. Lysaghts were, if anything, not so good, with no change on balance, while Guest Keens eased 1s. to 39s. Brunner Monds were 1s. 6d. down at 42s., rumours that the company was negotiating for the absorption of a kindred concern failing to influence the shares for the moment. Bolckow Vaughans held their ground after their recent jump, and added 9d. to the opening figure at 30s., while South Durham Steel at 3½ were ⅛ up, and Armstrong Ord. hardened 6d. to 35s. 6d. Vickers were 6d. better at 36s., and Hadfields were again a brisk market at 43s. With the sole exception of Courtaulds, which advanced slightly to 8 5-16, the Textile array was far from emulating the brilliant feats of the previous weeks, though Amalgamated Cottons received good support, closing, however 1-16 lower at 2⅜. Bleachers were ⅛ lower on balance, Calicos eased 1s. 6d. to 38s. 6d., whilst Cottons also gave way ⅛ to 5⅜. Hoyles being 1-16 worse off at 4⅛. Amongst Stores, B.A. Def. were ⅛ down, while the Ord. eased slightly to 27s. Army and Navy Co-op. were also offered, closing 1s. 6d. lower at 39s. 6d., while J. Barker reacted somewhat after their recent appreciation to 2⅞. Few dealings were recorded in the Nitrate section, which, however, showed no signs of sagging, in spite of neglect. In the Wireless group, Marconis were a bit easier at 4½, but elsewhere among Telegraphs Direct United States hardened 1-16 to 4⅝, while United River Plate improved ⅛ to 7⅞. Among Miscellaneous descriptions, Dunlops were again in strong demand, and continued an active market throughout the latter part of the day, winding up ⅜ to the good at 11⅛.

DISAPPOINTING KAFFIRS.

ACTIVITY IN RHODESIANS AND BARRIERS PARTIALLY RELIEVES THE DULNESS. FURTHER RISE IN TIN.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

Once more the Mining market was overshadowed by the activity and excitement elsewhere, and the day's business proved very disappointing. Despite the maintenance of a high premium on gold (the price was again 110s. per ounce, with very little of the precious metal obtainable), the Kaffir market remained dull and uninteresting. The December Rand statistics were still lacking, and the expectation of a poor showing once more afforded the main excuse for the apathy of the market. The public for the time being is devoting its attention to more lively departments, and professionals, though hopeful, are not inclined to give a lead. The losses on balance were not important, but they were fairly well spread, and against them could be placed only a couple of improvements, Union Corporation moving up in response to an investment demand, and Durban Deep marking a small gain. Rhodesians, however, gave a much better account of themselves, and Chartered were again higher, while Rhodesia Broken Hill were again a centre of keen interest, a further rise in the price being reflected in the shares of Bechuanaland Exploration, which, as has been pointed out previously, is a large holder. Globes were also harder despite news of poor developments.

BROKEN HILL PROPS. STRONG.

De Beers, among Diamonds, were rather offered and eased the turn. There was a further advance of 10s. to £379 12s. 6d. per ton in the price of Tin, which is now nearing the record figure, but the Share market remained more or less indifferent. Here and there a little nibbling was in progress, and South Crofty enjoyed some inside support, but movements generally were irregular and unimportant. West African Gold Shares were quiet, but there was quite a revival of interest in Barriers. Props led a fairly general advance, while some of the Westralians were harder on the termination of the labour troubles on that field. Kalgurli, however, suffered from profit-taking. Coppers were steady. Elsewhere Burmas and Colombian Mining were easier, but other miscellaneous descriptions were inclined to harden. British Platinums were unaffected by the rise in Platinum to, it was said, £37 10s. per oz.

BUOYANCY OF SHELLS THE FEATURE AMONG OILS.

ACTIVITY AND STRENGTH DISPLAYED BY EAGLES AND BURMAHS.

(FROM THE FINANCIAL NEWS OF TO-DAY.)

The Oil Share Market yesterday was again one of the most active and lively sections of the Stock Exchange, dealings being accompanied by considerable noise and excitement. Features were numerous, although chief interest once more centred on the leading descriptions. Among these, Shells were again particularly prominent, rising to a new high record. The Shell Company is known to have large interests in the oilfields of Mesopotamia, and a rumour was in circulation to the effect that a deal between the Shell Company and the Government, and probably the Burmah-Anglo-Persian group, is in progress for the exploitation of the Mesopotamian oilfields, and that some announcement may be expected. Whether the story is right or not, the buying was of a very good character. Mexican Eagles were once more a strong and active feature, also rising to a new high record, and a keen demand arose for Burmahs, which advanced. In the Trinidad group, Trinidad Centrals came into persistent request, and moved up smartly, the buying being accompanied by a rumour, which we give with all reserve, that the company is negotiating for the Sainte Madeleine sugar property. United British of Trinidad were also strongly supported, but Trinidad Leaseholds had a rather dull appearance. Russian descriptions remained dull and uninteresting. In other directions Scottish-Americans were again a lively market at a further advance on the reported early flotation of a subsidiary "Tanker" Company, and also a rumour that the company is negotiating for the acquisition of additional properties. Gemsah Oil Reefs continued to receive active attention, changing hands in large numbers at advancing prices. Closing prices:—

Anglo-American	8 3-16	8⅛	-1-16
Anglo-Bulgarian	9/9	10/9	
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	4½	4⅝	
Anglo-Maikop	6/0	7/0	-3d.
Anglo-Persian 6 p.c. Pref.	24/0	25/0	
Anglo-United	⅞	⅞*	+9
Assam	2⅛	2 1-16	-1-16
Black Sea Amalgamated	3/3	3/9	
British Borneo Petroleum	2⅛	2⅜	
British Burmah Petroleum	2 3-16	2 5-16	
British Controlled Preferred	⅞	1	
Burmah	19⅝	19⅞	+⅛
Chijoles Oil	20/0	21/0	
Copan Oilfields	6/3	7/3	
Cyprus Oil Trust	4/9	#5/3	+3d.
Eagle Transport Pref.	5⅛	5⅜	
English Oilfields	4	4⅛	-⅛
Globe Oilfields	⅛	⅜	
Havana Oil	4/1½	4/4½	
Kern River	36/0	37/0	
Lobitos	4 7-16	4 9-16	+1-16
Maisels Petroleum Trust	8/0	9/0	
Mexican Eagle Ord.	12 1-16	12 3-16	+⅛
Mexican Eagle Pref.	11⅜	11⅝	+⅛
National Petroleum	9/6	10/6	
New Grosny Oilfields	5/6	7/6	
New Schibaieff	⅜	⅝	
North Caucasian	5-32	7-32	
Oilfields Finance	8/9	9/9	
Oilfields of England	5-32	7-32	
Oil Trust	3/4½	3/7½	
Premier Oil	7/0	7/6	-3d.
Royal Dutch	89	90	+½
Ratoczyn (Galicia) Pref.	3 9-16	4 1-16	
Roumanian Oil	22/0	23/0	
Shell Transport	12 15-16	13	+15-32
Ditto Pref. (£10)	8⅛	8⅜	
Spies	10/0	10/6	
Suez Oil	7/6	8/6	
Suvoroff Taman	6/6	7/6	
Tampico Panuco Pref.	8/9	9/3	+3d.
Trinidad Central	6⅛	6⅜	+⅛
Trinidad Leaseholds	3⅛	3⅜	
United British of Trinidad	2 9-32	2 11-32	+⅛
Ural Caspian	1⅛	1⅜	
Uroz Oilfields	1⅛	1⅜	
Venezuelan Oil Concessions	4 13-16	5 1-16	

* Premium.

RUBBER SHARES HARDER.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The price of rubber remains steady around 2s. 8½d. per lb. There was not a very large amount of business doing in the Share market yesterday, but such movements as occurred were mostly in the upward direction, and the general tone may be described as harder. Batu Kawan recovered to 47s., and Bukit Rajah were up ⅛ at 11⅛, and Harpenden were wanted at 9⅛. Java United improved 46s. 3d. bid, but Johore Rubber Lands were lower at 38s. 1½d. Juru Estates rose to 35s. Linggi hardened to 70s. 9d., and Malaccas jumped 1-16 to 6⅜. Rubber Trust was slightly higher with buyers at 46s. Sumatra Props. were active around 38s. 9d. Simo changed hands at 90s., and Serdang Central at 58s. 9d. Tandjong were strong up to 6⅛, and Tangoel were in demand about 33s. United Sua Betong were better at 5 11-16. Wampoe hardened to 43s. 3d. In the Sumatran division, Anglo-Java were 3d. to the good at 8s. 2d., and Bukit Sembawang hardened to 3s. 11d. bid. Eastern Sumatra were a little better at 3s. 3½d., and Pelepah Valley advanced to 4s. bid; while Port Dickson and Singapore United show improvement at 5s. and 3s. 3d. respectively. United Serdang were a trifle better at 16s. 1½d., and Val D'Or advanced to 5s. 7d. Borneo Shares kept firm, and a considerable business was done in North Borneo State Rubber around 24s. 3d.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

MINING SHARES.

Abosso	12/6-6d	Mozambique	13-32-1-16
A.-Continental	35/-6d	Malayan Tin	2 1-16+1-16
Bech. Explor.	13/6+6d	Mysore Gold	1-1-16
Brit. Bk. Hill	47/6+1/3	Modderfontein (10/-)	4 13-16
Bk. Hill Prop.	55/-+3d	Do. "B"	9½
Bk. Hill South	3 5-16+⅛	Modderfontein Deep	
Bk. Hill Block 10			2 1-16-1-16
	27/6+1/3	Modder Leases	5-1-16
Brit. C. Africa	11/9-3d	New Era (x.r.)	9/6-6d
Bwana M'Kubwa	5/9-3d	Nundydroog	16/-+6d
Brakpan Mines	3 1-16-1-16	Nourse Mines	16/6-3d
Cinderella	6/6-6d	New Vaal River	1 1-16-1-16
City Deep	3 7-16	Ooregum	17/9+3d
Crown Mines	3 5-16-1-16	Premier Def.	12⅞ x.d.
Chartered	20/1½-1½d	Randfontein Central	
Cent Min. (x.d.)	11½-⅛		20/-3d
Con. G.F. of S.A.	2-1-16	Randfontein Estates	
Champion Reef	4/3-3d		24/9-3d
Colombian Min.	2 1-16-1-16	Rio Tinto	48-½
Dolcoath	8/9+3d	Rose Deep	24/-6d
De Beers Def.	31⅛ x.d.	Rhod. Bk. Hill	18/3+3d
Paggafontein Mines		Simmer & Jack	7/-3d
	22/-6d	Simmer Deep	3/-1½d
E. Rand Prop.	11/-3d	Springs Mines	3 1-16-1-16
Falcon	16/6-6d	Santa Gertrudis	34/-+6d
Gaika Gold	17/3-3d	Spassky Copper	1⅛-⅛
G.F. Rhod. Dev.	9/3-3d	Sulphide Corp.	24/-6d
Geldenhuis Deep	14/6-6d	South Crofty	19/9+1/-
Globe & Phœnix	17/-+6d	Transvaal Gold	17/-6d
Johannesburg Con. Inv.		Tronoh Mines	2⅞+1-16
	34/-3d	Union Corp.	23/9+3d
Jagersfontein	7⅛	Van Ryn	1 1-16-1-16
Kalgurli	23/6-3/-	Van Ryn Deep (x.d.)	
Knights Deep	11/6-3d		5⅛-⅛
Ldn.-Rhod. Min.	5/-+3d	Willoughby	7/3+3d
Langlaagte	19/6-6d	Waihi	50/-+1/3
Lena Goldfields	1 1-16-⅛		

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon	90/7½+6d	Mergui	6/4½-1½d
Anglo-Java	8/2+3d	Moopia Valley (x.r.)	42/6
Asahan	34/3-1½d	Nordanal	26/1½
Bantardawa	32/4½+1/1½	P.P.K. Ceylon	
Banteng	78/9-2/6		32/3-10½d
Batang Malaka		Pataling	43/9+3d
	4/10½-2d	Pelepah Val.	4/0½+1½d
Batu Caves	19½-⅛	Pilmoor (x.d.)	75/-
Beaufort Bor.	26/8½-2½d	Port Dickson	3/-+2d
Besocki	43/3+9d	Rubber Est. Johore	
Bernam Perak	50/-9d		61/10½+2/4½
Batu Kajang (x.d.)	95/3	Rubber Est. Krian	
Bukit Mert.	6/3+1½d		4/1½+2/0½
Bukit Rajah	11⅛+⅛	Rubber Trust (x.d.)	
B Sembawang	4/-+1½d		46/2½+3d
Castlefield	9⅛+⅛	Sagga	10 1-16-1-16
Chersonese	4/3½-1½d	Sapumalkande	29/3-9d
Cheviot	8/7½-4½d	Scafield	5 13-16+1-16
Cicely	15/4½-7½d	Sekong	22/-+1/3
Cons. Malay	13/6-4½d	Selaba	67/-10½d
Damansara	93/9-5/-	Selangor United	4/-+½d
Dolok	5/0½-2d	Seletar	20/-6d
East. Sumatra	3/4+1d	Sendayan	67/6+1/10½
Gen Ceylon Rubber		Sengat	3/6¾-¾d
	69/4½-1/3	Sennah	40/-1/3
Hayoep	28/7½-1/4½	Sialang (x.d.)	5 1-16
Inch Kenneth	4⅝+⅛	Sing. Para	4/5+2d
Java Para	56/3+2/6	Sing. United	3/2½+½d
Johore Rub.	38/1½-1/1½	Soember Ajoe	3/1½+1½d
Kamuning	4/9½+2d	Straits Bertam	9/0+1½d
Kapar	43/-6d	Sungei Bahru (c.d.)	
Kepitigalla	19/4½-4½d		46/9-9d
Kepong	11/9½+3½d	Sungei Buaya (ex all)	
Klanang	10/9-6d		77/6
Kwaloe	2/4-2½d	Sungei Kapar	9/4½-4½d
Labu	51/3-7½d	Tali Ayer	45/-2/6
Lanadron	49/4½-7½d	Tamiang	61/3+2/6
Laras	5/0½+2d	Tanjong	6⅛+⅛
Linggi	70/9+6d	Tebrau (c.d.)	85/7½
Lok Kawi	26/10½+1½d	Telogoredjo	78/9+11½d
Lumut	66/10½+3/4½	Un. Serdang	16/1½+1½d
Malacca Pref.	5 11-16+⅛	Un. S. Betong	5 11-16+1-16
Mambau	53/-2/-	Un. Temiang	7/1½+1½d
Manchester N. Borneo		Vallambrosa	24/6
	47/6+3d	Yam Seng	10/10½
Merbau (c.d.)	4/10½		

HOME RAILS.

Brighton A	59¼-60¼	L.&S.W new5% Pf.	94-6
Cal'dn Df. Or.	10⅝-11¼+⅛	Metropolitan	24⅛-5⅛
Cent. Lon Df.	57-60	do. 5p.c. Pf.	69-72
Chat'm Or.	10⅝-⅜	do. District	20⅝-1⅛
Gt. Cen'l Df.	8⅞-⅞	Midland Def.	57-8
Gt. Eastern	35⅛-⅜-⅜	N. Brit. Def.	16-⅛+⅛
Gt. N. Pref.	51-3	N. East Con.	95⅛-6⅛-⅛
do. Def.	38½-½	do. 4% Pf.	81-92
Gt. Western	89-90+½	Sth. Est. Df.	38⅛-⅞-⅛
Hull&Barnsly	25⅛-6⅛	do. 5 Pref.	71-4
Lanca. & Yks.	69⅛-70⅛	Taff Vale	54-6
L. & N.W.	94-5+⅛	Und. Elec.	2⅛-3
L. & S.W.	79-2	do. In. Bds.	83⅛-4⅛
do. Def.	76-7+⅛	do.6 p.c. Dbs.	89-91

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Can. Pacific	174-3-1	B. Ayres Gt. S	7⅛-8⅛+⅛
Grand Trunk	8-¼	B. Ayres Pac.	66⅛-7⅛
do.4pc.Gar.	57-60	B.Ayres & W.	81-2
do.1st Pf.	49⅛-50⅛	Can. Arg'tine	69-70
do. 2nd Pf.	39⅛-40⅛	Cent. Urugy.	78-80
do. 3rd Pf.	18⅛-⅛	Entre Rios	38⅛-40⅛-⅛
do. 4 p.c. Deb.	61-3	do. 6 pc. Pf.	75-7-⅛
do. 5 pc. Db.	98-9	Mex. Rails	22-4-1
Anto'a Pf. Or.	79-81	do. 8 pc. Pf.	54-6
do. Def.	12-3	do. 6pc. Pf.	33⅛-4⅛-1
Arg. G. W.	64-7	do. 1st Pf.	16⅛-17⅛
Cau'va Tope	25-30	do. 2nd Pf.	8-⅛-⅛
Bahia Blanca	60-2	San Paulo	182-4
do. 4% 2nd Db.	62-4	Un. Havana	89-90
Brazil Rail	5⅛-⅜		

TELEGRAPHS.

A.-Amer. Df.	22⅛-⅛	Marconi Can.	14/0,15/0
Marconi Ord.	4⅛-½	MarconiAmer	31/6,2/6
Marconi Pref.	3⅝-4⅛	do. Spanish	12/0,13/0
do. Marine	3⅛-4⅛		

BANKS.

Agricul. Egypt	8¼-6	Brit.B.S.Amer.	19¾-20¾
Anglo-Egypt	17-18	Hong Kong	130-4+2
A.-Sth Amer.	10¾-11¼	Lloyds	27¼-½
Bank Aus'sia	128-32+3	Lon.& Brazilian	25¼-6¼+½
Bank N.S.W.	31-3	London City	8¾-⅝+⅛
do. N.Z'land	13¾-14¼†	Lon. W'mlnr.	16½-⅝
Barclay "A"	7-7¼+⅛	Nat. Prov.(£4p)	9¾-10¼
Brit. Bk. F. Trade	2⅝-3⅛	Stand S. A.	13⅛-⅝

MISCELLANEOUS.

Aerated Bread	4 1-16-⅛	Guinness	340-60
Armstrong	35/0,6/0	do. Pref.	101-4
A. P'd Cemnt	25/9,6/9+0/3	Hudson's Bay	8⅝-⅞
do. Pref.	14/6,15/6	Harrod's	4⅛-⅜
Aboukir Land	2 1-16-⅛+1-16	Home & Col. Pf.	4⅛-⅝†
Arg'nt. N'th' Ld.	1⅛-⅜	do. 15% Cm. Or£1	1⅛-2⅛†
do. South	1⅛-⅜	Im. Tobac Or.	68/0-9/0-1
Anglo-Arg 1st Pf.	3¾-4¼+⅛	J. Brown	1⅝-⅞
Allsopp Ord.	90-5+1	do. (15/pd)	1⅛-⅜
do. 6% Pref.	79-82+½	Lipton	30/6-31/6
Borax Con Df.	1 13-16-2 1-16	do. Pref	14/9-15/9
Bri. P'd. Cmt.	31/6,33/6	Lyons	5 1-16-⅛-
B.S.A.	31/6,2/6	Lister & Co.	2 1-16-⅜
Bt. Mot. Tr'd'g	⅛-13-16-1-4⅛	Lovell Ch'mas	6 1-16-⅛†
B.&A. Meat	25/6,6/0	Maple	2⅛-⅜
Bass, Rat. Pref.	72-6†+1	Magadi Soda	20/0,1/0
British Oil Ck.	1⅛-2⅛	Maypole Def.	⅞,1
Brunner Mond	2,⅛	Mond Nickel	2⅝-3⅛
B'tholomay Pf.	4⅛,5	Montr'al St. Db.	95-9
Bt. N. Bor. Ld.	⅞-15-16-1-16	Monterey Db.	31-4
Brazil'n Trac.	60-1+1	Mex. Trams	30-5
Brit. Col. Elec. Pf.	61-4	do. Bonds	44-8-2
do. 4½% Dbs.	62-4	do. L.&P. Bs.	56-60
Bryant & May.	34/6-5/6	Nigers	3 13-16-4 1-16
Bleachers	2 5-16-⅛	Pahang (5s)	5-16,⅜†
Bradford Dyers	3-3⅛-1-16	ParentTyreDf.	3⅛,⅜
Brit. Cottons	15/3-/9*	PeaseePartns.	33/0,5/0
Calico Print	1 15-16-2 1-16+1-16	P. & O. Def.	620-640
Cammell L'd	1⅛,⅝	Projectiles (1/)	3-16-5-16
Cargo Fleet	1⅛,⅜	Pekin Syn.	34/0-5/0
Coats	3⅛,⅝†*	Paripan	2⅛-⅜
Courtaulds	7 15-16-8 5-16‡	Royal Mail Or.	190-200
Court Line	2 7-16-9-16+1-16	Roneo	2⅛-⅜
Cunard Ord.	3 3-16-7-16	Rio Lands	12/0-13/6-0/3
Cooper (J.)	1 11-16,⅞	Sew. Cotton	5 9-16-⅞-⅛
Cubitt's Pref.	18/0-19/0	Siemens	28/6,9/6+0/6
Criterion	25/9-6/3-0/9	Salt Union	1 13-16,⅜
Dick Kerr	1⅛,⅜	do. Pref.	1 3-16-7-16
Duff Dev.	19/9-20/9-0/3	S. Durham St.	3⅜,⅝
Deccan	1 1-16-3-16	SaoPaulo Db.	90-92
De Trey	3⅛-⅜+⅛	Sth. Af. Brew.	2⅛,⅜
Dunlop Rub.	10⅛,⅜*+⅛	Shaw W'ter Db.	95-8
Eastmans	22/6,3/0+0/3	Up. Stm. N.Z	19/0,20/0†
Furness Withy	3⅛,⅜	Vickers	35/0-6/0+0/3
Forestal L'nd	45/3-6/3†+0/9	VanDen Berghs	4⅛-⅜+⅛
F'st'rs GlassPf.	22/0,3/0+0/6	Weard'le c.p.o.	1⅛,⅜
Fine Spinners	4 5-16-7-16	Wallpaper	21/9,22/9
Gramophone	1 13-16-15-16	Do. Def.	18/9-19/6-0/3

TEA SHARES.—Anglo-Ceylon States, 60/7½+6d.; Assam, 69½-12/6; Dooars, 60/7½-1/3; Imperial Ord., 34/6-3d.; Jhanzie (x.d.), 11 1-16-⅛.

* Ex rights. † Ex div. ‡ Ex bonus. a Ex arrears.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—51⅛, ⅜, ⅛, ¼, 3-16, ⅛, ⅜, 1-16, ⅜, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, 1-16, ⅛, 1-16, ⅛. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—85½, 6, 5⅞, ⅞, 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, ¾. **Funding Loan**—75⅞, ¾, ⅛, 1-16, ⅞, 6, 5⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞; **do. Victory Bonds**—81⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 1, 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 11-16, ¾. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—83⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. **5 p.c. War Loan**—91⅞, 1-16, 3-16, ⅞, ⅛, ½, 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, ⅛, ⅞, ⅛, ⅞, 11-16, 1-16, ⅞, 1-16, ⅛, 11-16. **4 p.c. War Loan**—101 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, 2⅛, 1⅞, 2, 1⅞, ⅞, 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, 2, 2. **India 3½ p.c.**—61, 60⅞, ⅛, 1⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 60⅞, 1, 60⅞, 1⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—88/9, 1½d., 9/4½, 90/-, 89/8½. **Agricultural Engineers Pref.**—21/1½. **Amalgamated Industrials**—27/6, 3d., 9d., 7/-, 4½d., 1½d., 6d., 9d., 7/-, 3d. **Anglo-American Corporation**—53/9, 2/6, 5/-, 3/9, 5/-, 2/6, 3/1½, 2/6, 4/4½, 5/9. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—54/9, 5/-, 4/9, 5/1½, 4½d., 3d., 4/6. **Anglo-Egyptian Oil**—95/-. **Anglo-Java Rubber**—8/-, 7/10½, 10d., 8/-, 7/11¼, 8/1½. **Armstrong**—35/3, 5/-, 6d. **Assoc. Cement**—26/-, 3d., 5/9, 6/6, 1½d., 5/10½, 6/4½, 7½d. **Baldwins**—36/10½, 8/6. **Barclays Bank "A"**—7⅛, 3-16, ⅛, 3-32, 3-16, ⅛, ⅛, 1-16, ⅛. **Bisichi Tin**—16/3, 1½d., 15/10½. **Bleachers Ord.**—50/1½, 50/-, 1/-, 49/4½, 10½d., 9d., 9/-, 8/9, 2⅛, 2⅛. **Bolivar Concessions**—75/-. **Bovril Def.**—15/9, 16/-. **Bradford Dyers**—60/7½, 1/9, 3d., 58/9. **Brazil Railway Common**—5 3-16, ⅛, ⅛. **British American Tobacco**—7 35-64, 9-16, 17-32, ½, £7 11/-, 10/6, 7 9-16. **British Argentine Meat**—25/9, 6/1½, 6/-. **British Burmah Oil**—53/1½, 4/-, 5/-, 3d., 3/9, 4/-, 6/3. **British Dyestuffs Pref.**—17/6, 18/-, 17/3; **do. Pref. Ord.**—19/4½, 6d., 3d., 9d. **British Glass Industry**—93/1½, 6/3, 5/-, 3/9, 5/7½, 5/-, 3/9, 4/4½, 6/3, 4/-, 5/-, 7½d., 6/3, 10½d., 4/9. **British Window Glass**—30/3¾. **British Oil and Cake**—42/6, 1/7½, 9d., 2/-, 1½d., 1/10½, 6d., 9d. **British Overseas Bank**—5 11-16, ⅝, 11-16, 21-32. **Broken Hill Prop.**—52/-, 9d., 6d., 9d., 2/-, 3d., 3/-, 1/6, 4/-, 3d., 9d., 6d. **Brunner Mond**—40/6, 3/3, 40/6, 2/-, 1/3, 1/- 6d. **B.S.A.**—32/9, 7½d. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—81, 80½, ¼, 1⅛, 1, 80⅞, ⅛. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—60, ⅛, 7⅛, 6. **Burma Corp.**—13 7-16, ⅜, 13-32, 7-16, 13-32, ⅜, 11-32, ⅜. **Burmah Oil**—19⅞, ⅞, 15-16, 31-32, 15-16, 31-32, ⅞, ⅞, £19 11/-, 19 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, 15-16, 31-32. **Bwana M'Kubwa**—5/9. **Calico Printers**—38/-, 3d., 9/-, 3d., 8/9, 3d. **Camp Bird**—20/9, 1½d., 3d., 6d. **Canadian Pacific**—172, ⅛, 1⅞, ⅛, 2⅛, 1⅞, ⅛, 2⅛. **Cargo Fleet**—28/6. **Central Argentine Ord.**—69⅛, ⅛, 9⅛, 9⅛, 9. **Central Mining and Investment**—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Chartered**—20/-, 19/9, 20/3, 1½d., 1½d., 4½d., 6d., *19/7½, 20/3, 20/9. **City Deep**—66/3, 4/4½, 5/-. **Coats**—73/1½, 1/3. **Colombian Mining**—53/9. **Consol. Goldfields of South Africa**—41/-, 40/7½, 1/-, 40/-. **Cory (Wm.)**—55/6, 7/3, 6/10½, 5/7½, 6/3, 6/-, 3d., 6d., 9d. **County Bank**—16⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Courtaulds**—7 15-16, 8 1-16, 8, ⅞, 7⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞. **Crown Mines**—73/9, 4/4½, 3/9, 1½d. **Cubitts Engineering Ord.**—18/9. **Cunard Ord.**—66/3, 5/7½, 8/9, 7/6, 6/3, 10½d., 7/6. **De Beers Def.**—£10 12/-, 4½d. **Dunlop Rubber Ord.**—10 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, 11-16, 11, ⅛, £10 47-64, 11, 11⅛, ⅛. **Eastern Pioneer**—9/6. **Eastmans**—22/10½, 3/6, 1½d., 3d., 3/-, 2/9, 7½d. **East Pool and Agar**—18/3, 18/-, 1½d., 18/-, 17/10½, 18/4½, 3d. **East Rand Prop.**—10/10½, 6d., 11/-, 10/10½, 11/1½, 11/1½. **Eastern Sumatra Rubber**—3/2½, 3d., 4½d., 4d. **Ediswan**—26/7½, 10½d., 6/-, 9d., 3d., 5/10½, 6/1½, 4½d., 6d. **English Oilfields**—82/6, 3/1½, 2/3, 3/9, 2/6, 1/3, 5/-, 3/1½, 2/3½, 1/10½, 3/1½, 2/6. **English Sewing Cotton**—5⅛, ⅛. **Esperanza Copper**—6/3. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—89/3, 6/3, 8/9, 6/10½, 7/6. **General Mining and Finance**—7/4½. **Govt. Areas**—5⅛, ⅛. **Grand Central Rubber**—35/9. **Grand Trunk Ord.**—8 3-16, 8, ⅛, ⅛, 8, ⅛. **Great Boulder Prop.**—*8/9, 9/3. **Harper Bean Pref.**—4/3, 3/9, 4/3, 3/6; **do. Ord.**—5/3, 1½d., 4/9. **Highlands Rubber**—60/-. **Imperial Tobacco**—69/3, 7½d., 8/9, 9/6, 9d., 4½d., 9/-, 8/10½, 6d., 9/0½, 8/6, 9/1½. **Ivanhoe Gold**—40/-, 38/9. **Johannesburg Consol.**—33/10½, *4/6, *3/6, *3d., *4d., 4/6, 3/10½, 9d., 4/-, 3/9, 4/1½, 3/10½, 4/6, 3/9. **Johore Rubber Lands**—38/6, 9/3, 8/3, 1½d., 6d. **Kent Tin**—14/-, 13/9, 7½d., 6d., 10½d., 9d., 14/-. **Kern River Oil**—36/3, 4½d., 6/-, 7½d., 6d., 14½d., 7/-, 6/8½, 7/-, 6/10½. **Linggi Rubber**—69/4½, 70/-. **Lipton Ord.**—*30/-, 6d., 1/3, 30/9, *6d., 1/-, 30/7½, 1/1½, 1/-, 3d., *30/-. **London, Brighton Ord.**—59½, 60⅛, ⅛, 60, 59½. **London, Chatham Ord.**—10⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—5⅛, ⅛. **Do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/6, 7½d., 9d., 1/1½, 20/9, 7½d., 1/3. **Magadi Soda Ord.**—20/3, 1½d., 20/-, 6d., 7½d., 1½d.; **do. Debs.**—108. **Marconi Ord.** (x.d.)—86/10½, 3d., 5/7½, 6/3, 7/6, 5/-, 6/10½, 5/3¾; **do. Marine** (x.d.)—59/4½, 7½d., 60/6; **do. America**—31/9; **do. Canada**—14/6, 1½d., 6d., 14/-, 4½d., 6d. **Maypole Def.**—19/-, 18/9, 19/-, 18/10½, 19/-, 1½d., 18/7½, 10½d. **Merlimau Rubber**—7/-, 1½d. **Metropolitan-Vickers Elec.**—33/-. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—11⅞, 11-16, ⅞, ⅞, 12 1-16, *17⅞, £11 17/-, 12, £12 0/9, 12 1-16, £12 1/9, 11 15-16, *12 1-16, 11-64, ⅛. **Midland Bank**—8⅞, 15-16, ⅞, ⅛, 15-16. **Midland Railway Def.**—56⅛, ⅛, 7, 6⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, *7, ⅛, 7, 6⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, *6⅛. **Modderfontein (New 10/- Shares)**—88/6, 9d., 90/-. **Modderfontein Deep**—55/7½, 4/4½, 5/-, 3¾d., 5/-. **Mond Nickel**—68/3, 6d., 9d. **National Prov. Bank (£3 10/-)**—8⅞; **do. (£4)**—9⅞, 15-16, 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 31-32. **New Kleinfontein Gold**—14/6, 14/-. **Niger Land**—78/9, 9/9, 6½d., 6d., 3d., 9/-, 1½d., 3d., 6d. **Northern Exploration**—22/-, 3d., 4/9, 2/3, 3/1½, 6d., 9d. **Oil Trust**—2/5½, 3/6, 8d., 7½d., 6d. **Oriental Telephone Ord.**—44/6. **Pahang Consol.** (x.d.)—14/10½, 9¾d., 15/-, 14/10½, 9d., 15/0¾, 2½d., 15/-. **Palmer's Shipbuilding Ord.**—30/-, 29/9, 33/-, 29/10½, 30/6, 2/6. **Pyrotan Leather**—27/6, 8/1½, 8/-, 6d. **Rand Mines**—80/7½, 80/-, *77/6, *8/9, 9/8½, 4½d., 80/-. **Randfontein Central**—*19/6. **Rumanian Oil**—21/10½, 2/3, 1/9, 2/-, 4½d. **Rubber Trust**—46/1½, 5/9, 6/1½, 5/10½, 6/3, 5/10½, *6d., *6/-, 5/9, 6/-, 5/3. **Scottish-American Oil**—30/1½, 3d., 29/9, 30/1½, 3d., 30/-, 29/10½, 30/3, 1/9, 2/-, 3d., 30/2½, 2/4½, 1/1½, 6d., 2/9. **Shell**—12 13-16, ⅞, ⅞, 27-32, 15-16, 15-16, 13, 12⅞, ⅞, 7-16, ⅞, 15-16, 13, 12⅞, 15-16. **Smithfield and Argentine**—23/10½. **South Crofty**—19/-, 3d., 4½d., 3d. **Spassky**—24/4½. **Springs**—61/3, 60/-, 1/10½, 3d., 10½d., 1/-, 60/-, 1/8½. **Sudan Plantations**—8 15-16, 15-16, 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, 15-16, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞, 15-16. **Tanganyika**—60/7½, 58/1½, 9d., 9/0¾. **Tehidy Minerals**—25/7½. **Tobacco of Rhodesia** (x.d.)—13/3, ½d., 9d. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—73/9, 2/6, 4/4½, 5/-, 3/1½. **Trinidad Central Oil**—5 29-64, 15-16, 15-32, 6⅛, 1-16, 5 31-32, 6 1-16, 6, £6 1/-, 6 1-16, £6 3/-, 6, ⅛, 1-16. **Underground Elec.**—57/6. **Union and Rhodesia Trust**—18/-, 17/9, 10½d., 9¾d. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—36/4½, 6d., 5/9, 6/-, 3d., 9d. **United Serdang Rubber**—16/1½, 15/10½, 9d., 16/0¾, 2½d., 3d., 1½d., 15/10½. **United Steel**—24/-, 3/9, 7½d., 9d., 7½d., 4/-, 3/10½. **United Tobacco**—6 3-16. **Venezuelan Oil**—98/9, 1½d., 100/-, 99/4½, 100/-. **Vickers**—35/6, 7½d., 3d., 1½d., 7½d., 6d., 9d., 10½d., 9d., 10½d., 4½d. **Wiggins Teape Ord.**—26/3, *4/9, 6/10½, 6d. **Zambesia Exploring**—24/6, 7½d.

(* Exceptional bargain at special price.)

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—Business Done:—Northern Banking A, 6; Belfast Ropework, 127; Johnston, Philip, 7⅛; Hughes, Bernard, 6 p.c. Pref., 19/9; Fairbairn, Lawson, 20/-; British-American Tobacco Ord., 7 9-16; Dunlop Rubber, 10 11-16, 11-16; Lever Bros. 6⅛ p.c. B Pref., 19/6; Mexican Eagle Ord., 11 15-16, ⅞; Northern Bank New Prem., 13/9.

BIRMINGHAM.—Humbers and Austins again features on absorption rumours. Dunlops advanced smartly to 11. Sunbeams and Darracqs lower. Parent Def. easy. Austins, 30/6; Belsize, 34/6; Components, 21/-; do. Def., 21/6; Crossleys, 31/9; Darracqs, 35/-; Enfields, 36/6; Harper Bean, 6d. premium; Humbers, 33/6; Napiers, 28/-; Rolls, 49/-; Rover, 42/3; Singers, 74/-; Sunbeams, 38/3; Swifts, 42/6; Triumphs, 57/9; Vauxhalls, 26/-; Parent Def., 65/-; Standard, 82/-.

MANCHESTER.—Business was quiet in the Textile section, and profit-taking affected prices adversely. Closing prices:—Bleachers, 49/- to 49/6; do. Pref., 18/6 to 19/-; Bradford Dyers, 61/- to 62/-; do. Pref., 17/3 to 17/6; "Slubbers," 15/- to 15/3 x.r.; Calico Printers, 37/9 to 38/-; do. Pref., 14/9 to 15/-; Coats, 3 7-16 to 3⅛; Sewing Cottons, 5⅝ to 5⅞; do. Pref., 16/3 to 16/9; Fine Spinners, 87/- to 87/6; do. Pref., 16/6 to 16/9; Velvets, 46/6 to 47/6; do. Pref., 16/6 to 16/9.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON.—Alliance New, 15⅛, ⅛; Atlas, 13⅛, 15-16, ⅛, ⅛; City Equit., 63/6, 2/6; City of London Reinsurance, 7/3, 6/4½, 7/-, 6/10½, 9d., 6d., 10½d.; British Fire, 12/-; Commercial Union, 34⅛, 5⅛, 4⅛, 7-16; Eagle, Star, 18 3-16, ⅛, ⅛, £18 9/-; General Accident, 5⅛, 7-16, ⅛; Guardian, Eastern, 12/-; Intermarine, 26/6, 8/9; London and Scottish (x.d.), 92/6, 6/3, 2/6; London Assurance, 8/6, 7½d., 8/-, 7/9, 8/-, 1½d., 7/9, 7½d., 8/-, 6/6¾; Reinsurance, 8/6, 8/-, 3/4; London Guarantee and Accident 57⅛, ⅛, ⅛; British and Mercantile, £60 7/-; 60⅛; Royal Exchange, 575, 80; Royal Insurance, 48, 7⅛; Sun, 19⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 19; United British, 43/9, 5/3, 4/6; Western Alliance, 9/6, 1½d., 3d., 9d., 9/-, 3d., 6d., 9d.; World Auxiliary, 17/6, 19/9, 18/-, 6d., 9d., 19/-, 3d., 6d., 20/-, 3d., 6d., 19/10½, 3d., 6d.; World Marine, 14⅛, 15⅛, 14⅛, 15, ⅛, 1-16, 14⅛, ⅛.

SALES IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, 298/-, 15, 15; ditto New, 15, ⅛; Commercial Union, 35⅛, 5, 4⅛; Employers' Liability, £59 12/-; Liverpool and London and Globe 4 p.c., Thames and Mersey, 71; London Scottish (x.d.), 93/1½, 9d., 8/-; London Assurance, 12 1-16; London Guarantee, £56 12/3; Norwich Union (x.d.), 118; Royal Exchange, 573⅛; Royal, 47⅛, 8; Scottish Union, 11⅛, ⅛, 15-16, ⅛, ⅛; Sea, 5⅛; State, 10⅛, 1-16; Sun, 19⅛, ⅛; World Marine, 14⅛, £15 3/6.

They do not mind the Wintry Wind
Whose drink is WELCO Cocoa!
Warming, nourishing.—(Advt.)

THE MONEY MARKET.

HIGH PRICE OF SILVER.

Bank Rate (changed Nov. 6, 1919) .... 6 p.c.

General Money market conditions were steady and sometimes firm. There was a fair demand for loans, and call money was usually negotiated around 4 p.c. Surplus balances offered down to 3 to 3½ p.c., but they were not large. Weekly loans were quoted at 4½ p.c. About a quarter of a million was disbursed in dividends. To-day the half-yearly Home Railway interest payment will commence with disbursements on South Eastern Pref. and Deb. issues. The Discount market was engaged in discussing the overnight failure of the French Treasury bill operation, but this was regarded as a comment on the necessity of adjustments between Paris and London, and not as querying local conditions. Bills were in fair supply, and rates ruled firm. Two months' drafts were posted at 5 to 5⅛ p.c.; three months' at 5⅛ p.c., and six months at 5⅜ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed November 6, 1919 ... 6%			
60 days (fine)	5⅛%	Trade	6%
3 months "	5⅛%	"	6⅛%
4 months "	5⅜%	"	6⅛%
6 months "	5⅜%		
Loans to bill brokers day-to-day			3%
do. do. for a week			4⅛%
Deposit allowance Banks, at call			4%
" Discount houses, at call			4%
" " at notice			4⅛%

Silver reacted ⅛d. for both positions to 82⅛d. spot and 79⅛d. forward per oz. Bar gold remained at 110s. per oz.

On 'Change rates on France, Germany, Portugal, Norway, Sweden, and New York moved in favour of this country; Dutch, Belgian, Swiss, Italian, Danish, Finnish, and Athens currencies improved in value.

The following foreign exchange rates were current:—New York, 3.74½ to 3.75; Paris, 41.90 to 42.20; Amsterdam, 9.96 to 9.99; Italy, 50.15 to 50.25; Madrid, 19.70 to 19.75; Christiania, 18.90 to 19.00; Stockholm, 17.78 to 17.88; Finland, 97 to 102; Berne, 21.10 to 21.15; Brussels, 41.60 to 41.80; Berlin, 191 to 194; Rio de Janeiro 90-days' bills, 17⅜; Buenos Ayres transfers, 62⅛ to 62⅞.

The result of the tenders for the twelve months' French sterling Treasury bills, received on Monday, were decidedly poor. The amount offered was £8,000,000 for the purpose of replacing bills for a like amount falling due on the 15th January, but the amount allotted was only £1,240,000, and tenders at £93 per cent. and above will receive in full. The average rate obtained is the high one of £6 15s. 1.91d. per cent. The average rate obtained in January last year for the bills now maturing was £4 11s. 1.98d. per cent.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED.—The directors submit herewith the statement of accounts for the half-year ending 31st December, 1919:—After providing for rebate on bills, interest on deposits, and bad and doubtful debts and contingencies, the net profits for the half-year amount to £35,164 15/-, to which has to be added balance of undivided profits from last account, £12,131 0/3, making a total of £47,295 15/3. The directors have transferred to the reserve fund the sum of £10,000, and they recommend that the balance be applied as follows, viz.:—In payment of a dividend for the half-year at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum (subject to deduction of income tax) (£20,000), and carry to next account £17,295 15/3. The directors retiring by rotation are Mr. John Louis Scallan and Mr. Patrick Joseph Brady, who, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election. In conformity with the provisions of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, it will be necessary for the shareholders to elect an auditor for the ensuing year. Mr. Jeremiah Buckley, the present auditor, offers himself for re-election. The dividend this time last year was at the rate of 7 per cent., £10,000 was placed to reserve, and £9,691 carried forward. Meeting January 26th, 1 p.m.

MANCHESTER SAFE DEPOSIT.—Dividend of 7½ p.c., less tax.

ELECTRICAL UTILITIES.—Quarterly dividend of 1½ p.c. on the Pref. Stock.

TRANSVAAL AND DELAGOA BAY INVESTMENT.—Dividend of 5/- per share, less tax.

IPOH TIN DREDGING.—Dividend of 10 per cent. for the year ended 31st December.

IVANHOE GOLD.—Third quarterly interim dividend in respect of the year 1919 of 1/6 per share.

BANK OF LIVERPOOL AND MARTINS.—Dividend of 4/- per share for the half-year, equal to 16 p.c. per annum, less tax.

LANGEN (JAVA) RUBBER.—Final dividend at the rate of 7½ p.c., less tax, making 15 p.c. for the year.

UNITED BRITISH INSURANCE.—Interim dividend of 12½ per cent., free of tax, in respect of the year 1919.

ARAMAYO FRANCKE MINES.—Interim dividend on account of the current year at the rate of 1/- per share.

METROPOLITAN TRUST.—Final dividend on Ord. Stock for the six months ended 2nd January at rate of 15 per cent. per annum (less tax), making 15 per cent. for the year.

CROWN BREWING.—Final dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum (free of tax), making 7 per cent. for the year, equal to 10 per cent. less tax, and a bonus dividend of 5 per cent. for the year, free of tax.

OPERATORS' TRUST.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. actual for the half-year. The Board has decided to issue the balance of the company's capital—namely, 250,000 shares of 2/- each at the price of 2/3 per share (2/- in respect of capital and 3d. in respect of premium). The new shares will rank for dividend as from date of payment of instalments, and are offered in the first instance to holders of existing shares in the proportion of one new for every share held.

LONDON COUNTY, WESTMINSTER, AND PARR'S BANK.—The net profits of the London County, Westminster, and Parr's Bank, Ltd., for the past year, after providing for bad and doubtful debts and all other expenses, amount to £2,455,007. This sum, added to £377,560 brought forward from 1918, leaves available the sum of £2,832,567. The dividend of 10 per cent. paid in August last absorbs £494,969. A further dividend of 10 per cent. is now declared in respect of the £20 Shares, and the maximum dividend at the rate of 12½ per cent. per annum on the new £1 Shares will be paid. £1,000,000 has been set aside for investment depreciation; £100,000 transferred to the Bankers' War Memorial Fund, in accordance with the resolution at the general meeting on 30th January, 1919; £100,000 transferred to premises account, and £165,721 to reserve, bringing the reserve up to £8,750,000, leaving a balance of £414,326 to be carried forward.

RUBBER CROPS FOR DECEMBER.

Bandarapola, 38,000lbs. (39,500); Batu Matang, 23,358 (17,609); British Malay, 96,000 (106,401); Bukit Panjong 47,810 (39,651); Bukit Sembawang, 143,000 (59,312); Devon Estates, 103,600; F.M.S., 76,001 (45,517); Gedong, 38,932 (15,877); Johore Rubber, 126,600 (104,597); Kelani Valley, 49,070 (34,742); Langat River, 38,446 (38,366); Locknager, 18,290 (17,576); Lok Kawi, 32450 (22,400); Lower Perak, 17,200 (16,350); Mambau (F.M.S.), 36,805 (30,447); Martapoera, 25,000 (15,000); Merton, 14,639 (12,766); New Kati Selogire, 19,000 (12,016); Pantuja, 28,400 (25,440); Parambe, 25,243 (28,911); Poonagalla Valley, 17,169 (14,892); Raub, 15,338 (13,846); Ribu, 24,115 (29,140); Rini Java (12,000 (9,100); Rubber Estates of Ceylon, 60,697 (52,963); Segamat Johore, 43,050 (49,000); Selangor River, 85,581 (73,134); Simo, 23,000 (18,810); Singapore United, 42,600 (40,132); St. George, 86,098 (71,380); Sungei Rinching, 45,842 (27,110); Sungei Selak, 75,000 (75,467); Sungei Sipat, 16,423 (17,971); Taiping, 54,958 (45,500); Tempeh Java, 23,000 (25,000); Ura Rubber, 12,616 (20,878); Wat Halim Sumatra, 21,809 (16,888); Woodend, 43,775 (28,093).

(Crops for December, 1918, are given in parentheses.)

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

It is officially announced that the British Glass Industries, Ltd., have acquired 76 per cent. of the Ordinary shares capital in the United Glass Bottle Manufacturers, Ltd., and have made an offer to the shareholders in that company to purchase the balance of the Ordinary Share capital. This purchase is entirely independent of a transaction concluded with the United Glass Bottle Manufacturers, Ltd., and the two operations, together with the development of existing works, will involve a sum of approximately three millions. Sir Francis Towle, discussing the fusion, said that one of the objects was to enable a newly-resuscitated industry to compete with foreign imports. The amalgamation possessed the patents of practically the whole of the modern automatic machinery for making glass-ware of every kind. The demand for glass in the next few years would be enormous, and would give employment to thousands of British people who could not be employed before owing to there being no industry of the kind in the country.

A Reuter's telegram from New York states that the British Dunlop Company announces the incorporation of Dunlop America, Ltd. The new concern is stated to be prepared to lay out 25 million dollars on new plant in Buffalo.

In view of the unfavourable report issued in October, the directors of Mason and Barry, now state that shipments of ore from the company's port of Pomaron during the last three months of 1919 amounted to 17,958 tons, compared with 23,790 tons during the first nine months, and after that an important contract for the sale of pyrites over a number of years has been concluded.

Something will soon have to be done about silver. The price has now risen 25 per cent. above coinage value—that is to say, the metal in a shilling, if it were legal to melt it down and sell it, would be worth 1/3, and the metal in a five-shilling piece would be worth 6/3. Thus the purchase of new silver for coinage now involves the Government in heavy loss. It is possible that the measures to reduce the circulation of £1 and 10/- notes may diminish the demand for silver, but the silver coinage is, of course, continuously being depleted by wear and by leakage, either by loss or by export, despite legal restrictions. As regards worn coins returned to the Mint, the cost to the Government of issuing new coin in place of this is not so heavy as coining entirely new silver. But, all things considered, unless there is a very heavy decline in the price of silver during the next few months, it is probable that the Government may find it necessary to issue a substituted currency. When the necessity does arise it will almost certainly become urgent—that is to say, when a real shortage arises it will, according to the generally accepted laws applying to currency, become rapidly acute. Five-shilling notes, if in ample supply, would be but a temporary palliative. The coinage of nickel or of silver of inferior fineness to standard silver would eventually become necessary.

Discussion as to the intentions of the Government with regard to a new loan to replace maturing short-term bonds is now becoming lively. While the desirability of meeting the Exchequer Bonds falling due for repayment next month by another loan issue, instead of creating fresh floating debt, increases the prospect of a loan issue within the next week or two, it is contended that any large conversion issue should be postponed until a more favourable time. For one thing, the Government has not yet given definite evidence that expenditure is to be kept within revenue, and something provided for reduction of the National Debt. An early Budget showing what is to be done in this respect in the coming financial year would show in definite form that the Government intends to carry out its promises in this respect.

The National Projectile Factory of Dudley was yesterday sold to Messrs. Harper Bean, Ltd., representing the great £6,000,000 Motor Combine recently announced. The purchase amount has not been disclosed, but it is said to include much machinery which did not form a part of the original lot offered, when no bids were made. The building and equipment cost nearly £1,000,000.

Guardian and Legal and General Insurance.—Negotiations have been provisionally completed for the acquisition of control of the Legal and General Assurance Society by the Guardian Assurance Company. The latter company makes an offer of six Ordinary Guardian Shares of £5 each, with 10/- paid up, plus £1 in cash, in exchange for each Legal and General £50 share, with £8 paid up. At the present price of Guardian Shares at about 8⅛, the offer represents, roughly, £50 per share. Last night's quotation of Legal and General Shares was 50-54. In arranging the details of the scheme the directors of the Legal and General have had in mind "an equality of dividend return," and it seems certain that the shareholders' position is well safeguarded in this respect. At the same time, while undertaking a liability for uncalled capital to the extent of £15 per each Legal share, they will be relieved of their present liability of £42 per share, thus benefiting to the extent of £27 per share in respect to liability, and at the same time receiving all the advantages which will accrue to the uniting of the resources of the two offices. As usual in all recent insurance company fusions, it is determined that the Legal and General shall be worked under their own directors and management, and shall not lose their individuality.

COMING PROSPECTUS.

We understand that Messrs. R. E. Jones, Ltd., the well-known caterers of South Wales, will shortly be offering for public subscription roughly a quarter of a million 7½ per cent. Cumulative £1 Pref. Shares at par, mainly in connection with additional properties recently acquired in London. The Pref. Shares participate up to 10 per cent., 7½ per cent. being the fixed Cum. Pref. dividend, and the remaining 2½ per cent. being non-cumulative, and payable after 25 per cent. has been distributed on the Ordinary Shares. The full 10 per cent. was paid on the Pref. Shares of this issue for the half-year ended October 31, 1919. A valuation of the company's properties by Messrs. Farebrother, Ellis, and Co. shows an excess of actual value over book value of over £200,000. The company has paid dividends at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary Shares for each of the 13 years, 1898 to 1911; at the rate of 20 per cent. for each of the years, 1912 to 1917; 30 per cent. for 1918, and 45 per cent. for 1919. The Pref. Shares now offered rank for dividend as from November 1st last.

OVER-SUBSCRIBED.

JOHN WOOD AND BROS. (1920), LTD.—Owing to the issue having been largely over-subscribed, the lists were closed yesterday (Tuesday). Applications received by first post on Wednesday will receive consideration. The prospectus was advertised in the *Irish Times* of January 8.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Catalogues comprising 10,296 bales Government wool were brought forward yesterday afternoon, including 3,990 bales Victorian, 2,551 New Zealand, 1,923 West Australian, 1,832 New South Wales. Large attendance of buyers, and fair selection of wool. Sales passed off with good competition at firmly opening rates. Monday's catalogues contained a very good selection of greasy combing merinos, which, under home competition for the longer wools and Continental for the shorter, recovered the sharp decline of the December close. In other words, they were 10 per cent. dearer. Continental buying was more noticeable in short scoureds than in greasy lots, but prices for these showed very little change. In crossbreds a fair selection met with practically unchanged competition, the finer sorts selling at late rates, and the low qualities being very hard to move.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

St. Mary's Parish Church.—Morning Prayer at 11.30 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. J. O. Gage Dougherty.

St. Andrew's Church.—Morning Prayer at 12 o'clock. Address by Rev. R. Northridge.

St. James's Schoolroom.—To-night at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. C. Irwin.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open free to the public from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. each week-day, except Wednesday, when the hours are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m., and on Sundays from 3 to 7 p.m.

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FRANK CALLAGHAN, DECEASED.

11 DAME STREET & 8 DAME LANE.

Consisting of fine Shop, with ornamental plaster front, in the best part of this first-class thoroughfare, within a few paces from the Castle and the City Hall. Four storeys over ground, containing 12 apartments, some of which are let as offices, producing a gross rental of £112 8/10. Also fine basement (fitted), with ample head room.

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CLEAR POSSESSION OF THE SHOP AND BASEMENT, ALSO OF THE 3rd FLOOR RETURN ROOM WILL BE GIVEN TO PURCHASER.

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COMMODIOUS HOUSE, WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

Substantially constructed House, in choice Residential position, facing Christ Church, and comprising handsome building, semi-detached, two storeys over basement, granite steps, built bay windows, return building, gardens front and rear. The accommodation comprises large and handsome drawingroom and diningroom, morning room, ladies' pantry, 5 family bedrooms, telephone, 3 w.c.'s, bathroom h. and c.), 2 servants' rooms, kitchen, and usual offices. Garage (with water supply), man's room, yard. Electric light in stable and telephone to house. House fitted with electric light. All in perfect order. Held for 200 years from 1871, subject to £11 10s. 0d. per annum. Seen on order from Auctioneers, 12 to 3 o'clock.

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The House is held under a lease for 151 years from 29th September, 1852, subject to the adjusted yearly rent of £15 6/-. P.L.V., £59. Sublet for a term of 85 years from 1917, at £45 per annum, clear of all rates and taxes.

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LOT 1.—A WELL-SECURED FEE-FARM RENT OF £88 4s. 8d., adjusted, payable half-yearly on the 25th March and 29th September, out of the House and Premises 31 DAME STREET, DUBLIN, and created by an Indenture of Fee-Farm Grant, dated the 24th March, 1858	£88 4 3
This Lot is subject to an annual Head Rent of £35 5s. 9d. (adjusted), payable under a Fee-Farm Grant dated the 16th January, 1869	35 5 9
Profit Rent	£52 18 11
LOT 2, consisting of (1)—A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £40 3s. 0d. (adjusted), payable half-yearly on the 25th March and 29th September, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 15 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, and created by an Indenture dated the 8th September, 1789, for 999 years from the 29th September, 1789	£40 3 0
(2) A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £52 10s. 0d., payable half-yearly on 1st May and 1st November, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 16 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, created by an Indenture dated the 15th June, 1907, for 60 years from 1st November, 1906	£52 10 0
(3) A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £26 9s. 4d. (adjusted), payable half-yearly on 1st February and 1st August, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 17 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, created by an Indenture dated 2nd April, 1795, for 999 years from the 1st February, 1795	£26 9 4
	£119 2 4
This Lot will be Sold subject to an annual Head Rent of £40 4 0, adjusted, payable under an Indenture of Fee Farm Grant, dated the 31st May, 1871	£40 4 0
Profit Rent	£78 18 4
LOT 3, consisting of (1)—A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £26 9s. 4d. (adjusted), payable half-yearly on the 1st January and 1st July, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 14 Merrion Row, Dublin, and created by an Indenture dated the 28th Premises, 14 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, and created by an Indenture dated the 28th December, 1796, for three lives, and 900 years to commence from the day of the death of the last survivor	£26 9 4
(2) A WELL-SECURED RENT OF £26 9s. 4d., adjusted, payable half-yearly on 25th March and 29th September, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 18 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN, created by an Indenture dated the 24th March, 1795, for three lives, renewable for ever	£26 9 4
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(4) A WELL-SECURED FEE-FARM RENT OF £44 12s. 1d. (adjusted), payable half-yearly on 1st January and 1st July, out of the Dwellinghouse and Premises, 23 ELY PLACE, created by an Indenture of Fee-Farm Grant, dated 4th September, 1866	£44 12 1
	£137 15 3
This Lot will be sold subject to an annual Head Rent of £81 14s. 3d., adjusted, payable under an Indenture of Fee-Farm Grant dated the 31st of May, 1871	81 14 3
Profit Rent	£56 1 0
LOT 4.—PLOT OF GROUND, on which stand the Houses and Premises known as 120 and 121 LOWER BAGGOT STREET and BAGGOT COURT, also small Plot of Ground. 120 is let to a solvent tenant for a term of 5 years from 1st October, 1917, at the yearly rent of £65 and all rates and taxes, save landlord's proportion of Income Tax	£65 0 0
121 is let as a quarterly tenancy to the Board of Works at the yearly rent of £65, and all Rates and Taxes save Landlord's proportion of Income Tax	£65 0 0
The Stable at the rear of 120 is let as a monthly tenancy at the yearly rent of £12 0s. 0d.	£12 0 0
The Premises No. 11 Baggot Court, is let as a Leasehold tenancy at the annual rent of £11 9s. 6d.	£11 9 6
	153 9 6
This Lot is held under Lease dated 10th January, 1794, for the term of 146 years from the 29th September, 1793, at the yearly rent of £64 2s. 0d. Irish, and has been adjusted to the yearly sum of £56 11s. 1d.	£56 11 1
Profit Rent	£96 18 5

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Held for 61 years from 29th September, 1878, at £6 6s. 0d. a year.

Each House let to weekly tenants at 8s. a week, equal to yearly	£62 8 0
Less Head Rent	6 6 0
Profit Rent (Less Rates)	£56 2 0

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Held for 950 years from 1813 at £9 4s. 7d. 3 and 4 let at 8s. a week; 5, 6 and 7 let at 6s. weekly.

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Let at 10/6 each weekly, and held for 99 years from 1907 at £3 per annum each house.

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AUCTION TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY) FURNITURE. ALSO HOUSE, WITH POSSESSION, AT THE PREMISES,

76 AMIENS STREET.

AS HERETOFORE FULLY ADVERTISED.

Furniture Sale commencing 11 o'clock. House will be Sold at 2 o'clock.

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16TH JAN., 1 O'CLOCK,

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"ROSEBANK" AND "NORTHBANK" (VACANT POSSESSION), SEAVIEW AVENUE, CLONTARF.
15 ROYSE ROAD, PHIBSBOROUGH. (POSSESSION).
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22, 24, 26 CADOGAN ROAD, FAIRVIEW.
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1 TO 20 PHŒNIX STREET, INCHICORE.
4 AND 5 BRABAZON STREET.
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150 PEMBROKE ROAD. (POSSESSION).
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61 AMIENS STREET.
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TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, AT THE LARGE STORES (LATELY OCCUPIED BY THE U.S.A.) SITUATE SIR JOHN ROGERSON'S QUAY, DUBLIN, COMMENCING AT 11 O'C. A.M.

THE ENTIRE LARGE AND COMPREHENSIVE STOCK OF HARDWOODS, comprising

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9,000 " "	½IN. - 1IN.	BLACK WALNUT.
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ALSO A LARGE COLLECTION OF MAHOGANY, OAK, AND WALNUT SIDEBOARDS, WARDROBES BEDS, FILING CABINETS, AND BEDROOM SUITES (NEARLY FINISHED), CHAIR-BACKS, LEGS, AND A MISCELLANEOUS STOCK OF PARTS OF ABOVE.

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TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE RESIDENCE OF MISS WHITE, 9 MARINE TERRACE, KINGSTOWN, CO. DUBLIN,

ON TUESDAY, 27TH, WEDNESDAY, 28TH JANUARY, 1920

(AND FOLLOWING DAY, IF NECESSARY), AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK EACH DAY PROMPT, A UNIQUE COLLECTION OF RARE, GENUINE ANTIQUE FURNITURE, COMPRISING A GREAT MANY EXAMPLES OF CHIPPENDALE, SHERATON, and HEPPLEWHITE and EMPIRE PERIODS.

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ON TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), 14TH JANUARY, 1920, AND FOLLOWING DAY, COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK,

AN EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF MODERN FURNITURE,

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WE are instructed by Messrs. John Furlong and Sons, Ltd., Flour Millers, Cork, to SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY the INTEREST in their Store, situate at Quay, New Ross (opposite Charles street Pier), in which they have carried on the Wholesale Flour Trade for the past twenty years.

The Premises for Sale consists of a Large Store, five storeys in height, in thorough repair, with a quay frontage of 62½' and depth of 23'. Suitable offices to the building are provided.

The property is held on lease at a yearly rent of £6. Poor Law Valuation £25.

Proposals for purchase will be received by us up to the twentieth January, 1920.

The premises may be inspected any week-day, except Saturday, prior to above date.

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Paddock No. 5	2	0	7	I.P.M.
Paddock No. 6	1	3	32	I.P.M.
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Particulars can be obtained from the Stationmaster at Maynooth, or from the Company's Rents Office, Broadstone Station.

Proposals to be sent in addressed to the undersigned so as to reach him not later than Saturday, 24th January, 1920.

PERCY A. HAY, Secretary.

Broadstone Station, Dublin, January 8th, 1920.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF HORSES, MACHINERY, AND FARMING IMPLEMENTS,
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THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), at 3 o'clock, On the Lands,
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70 ACRES (in Divisions) AT STILLORGAN.
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700 STORE CATTLE,

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On TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),

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The majority of the entries consist of Aged Bullocks and Heifers and a large number of Stripper Cows, the principal consignors being:—Captain Gaisford St. Lawrence, Major Hamilton, F. Fitzsimons, M. Doyle, Nicholas McDermott, Mrs. Ball Acton, Dr. Wheeler, J. F. Joyce, James Imrie, John T. Nolan, James Barrett, W. F. O'Donnell, Jas. Jolley, C. S. Dodd, Thomas Taylor, John Connell (100 Strippers), J. Houlihan (40 Strippers).

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200 Ewes in Lamb and Store Wethers, including 75 excellent Ewes flocked with Shrop. Ram, the property of Mr. C. W. Taylor, and 40 Blackfaced Horny Ewes, the property of Mr. Patrick Flynn. Sale to commence at One p.m.

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SUBSCRIBER has been instructed by John W. Smith, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, on an early date, his interest in Smithfield House and the Lands of Kilmurry and Aughabrack, adjoining, containing in all about 200 Acres, I.P.M.

Further particulars in future advertisements.

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The Lands held by the Clontarf Golf Club, containing 30 Acres, will be Let by Auction on FRIDAY, 16th JANUARY, for the Grazing of Sheep only.

Sale to commence 12 noon prompt.

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GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE.

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That well-known Gentleman's Residence, called "The Craig," with Grounds, etc., attached, which has such a charming situation at Rostrevor, and, owing to its elevated position, commands unrivalled views of the Rostrevor and Carlingford Mountains and Carlingford Lough. The Premises, save the Garden, known as the "Kitchen Garden," are of Freehold Tenure (part being held under lease for lives, renewable for ever, and the remainder for ever under Fee Farm Grant), subject to the small yearly head rent of £9 9/-.

There are two entrances to the Premises, one from the Square, Rostrevor, and the other from Bridge street, Rostrevor. The Grounds attached to the Premises, which, owing to their compact size, are easily kept in order, are well timbered and suitably terraced. The House contains three reception rooms, five bedrooms, servants' bedrooms, kitchen, pantries, etc., bathroom, and modern conveniences.

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ONE BLACK DEXTER COW, time up, to her third calf, and a choice YOUNG JERSEY COW will be offered for Sale previous to above.

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Lot 1 comprises the House and Premises known as No. 9 Manor street, in the City of Dublin, with yard and out-offices, which comprise sheds to accommodate 50 cattle, 3 horses, hay lofts, etc., in the rear, as lately in the occupation of the late Mr. McGillycuddy. These premises are held subject (in conjunction with the premises comprised in Lot 2) to the yearly rent of £16 16s. The purchaser of this Lot will have to indemnify the purchaser of the premises comprised in Lot 2 against the payment of the said rent, or any part thereof.

Lot 2 comprises the Shops, House, and Premises known as Nos. 8 and 8a Manor street, in the City of Dublin, which premises are sublet to weekly tenants at the weekly rents of 16s. and £1 2s. respectively. The said premises will be Sold subject to the said yearly rent of £16 16s., payable under the above-mentioned Indenture of Lease, dated the 26th June, 1895, but will be indemnified against the payment thereof by the premises comprised in Lot 1.

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JOHN P. CUFFE has been instructed by Thomas McMahon, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at a date to be named in future advertisement, the above desirable Farm, containing 74 acres, S.M., held in fee, subject to Land Commission Annuity of £47 16s. 10d., with comfortable Residence, situated convenient to the village of Swords.

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COUNTY MEATH.

I HAVE received instructions from John P. Rowan, Esquire, to SELL BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the 22nd JANUARY, 1920, at One o'clock, at 29 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, the attractive and valuable Residential Property known as "Trammont," within four miles of Trim and five miles from Enfield and telegraph station, Rathmolyon, 1 mile, containing 115a. 1r. 18p., Statute measure, of prime fattening land; on which stands a Gentleman's good Residence, all on the flat, containing large drawingroom, with conservatory off it; 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, etc.; good stabling, gardens. It is approached by nice avenue and gate lodge. These lands are held in fee-simple, but a small portion, containing 12a. 3r. 23p., is subject to an annuity of £4 19s. 8d., third decade Ashbourne Act.

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BIRTHS.

BARTON—January 6, 1920, at Lisduff House, Ballingford, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Barton, a daughter (Sheila Pauline de les Fresiles).

EARLS—January 2, 1920, at a Private Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Earls, 51 St. Lawrence rd., Clontarf, a son.

MARRIAGES.

DENNY and DONCASTER—January 8, 1920, at St. Peter's Church, Ealing, by the Rev. B. Tyrwhitt-Drake, assisted by the Rev. J. B. Kite, Rector of the Parish, T. Hamilton Denny, 7th Gurkha Rifles, third son of E. Barry Denny, Barkwith House, Lincoln, to Muriel Mary, youngest daughter of the late Edward Doncaster, of Silk Willoughby, Sleaford.

ESTMENT and BOURKE—January 10, 1920, at Cape Town, Wilfred Denton Estment, Sunridge, Plumtree, South Rhodesia, to Kathleen Emily, of Ballintubber, Crossmolina, youngest daughter of the late Captain William Orme Bourke, 18th Royal Irish Regiment, and Mrs. Orme Bourke, of Sandycove, Co. Dublin.

McCLURE and CRAMPTON—December 17, 1919, at Mountcharles Parish Church, Co. Donegal, by the Rev. R. Hoffman, B.A., Andrew, son of James McClure, Muntemese, Mountcharles, to Elizabeth, third daughter of William Crampton, Drumcoe, Mountcharles, late of Carlow.

MacDANIEL and ROBINSON—January 7, 1920, at the Fuller Baptist Chapel, Kettering, by the Rev. T. N. Tattersall, John Vaigne, eldest son of the late Charles MacDaniel, and of Mrs. MacDaniel, 26 Charleville rd., N.C.R., Dublin, to Edith Vera, fourth daughter of the late Charles Robinson, and of Mrs. Robinson, 29 Bowling Green rd., Kettering, Northants.

DEATHS.

BEARY—January 14, 1920, at his residence, Toberabeena House, Clonmel, Timothy Beary, retired Clerk of Union, Clonmel. Funeral to St. Patrick's Cemetery, 12 noon, to-morrow (Friday), 16th inst., from St. Mary's R.C. Church.

DOYLE—January 14, 1920, at her residence, 60 Belgrave square, Rathmines, Elizabeth McCabe Doyle, aged 89 years. R.I.P. Funeral private. No flowers.

DOYLE—On Saturday, January 10, 1920, at her residence, Woodstock, Athy, Nannie Doyle, dearly beloved wife of Michael Doyle, aged 72 years. R.I.P.

DUFF—January 10, 1920, at Barraghcore, Goresbridge, Desmond Patrick, aged 15½ months, darling child of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duff.

FRIZELL—January 13, 1920, at his residence, Ormonde, Arkendale rd., Glenageary, Charles William Frizell, M.A., late Canon of St. Patrick's Cathedral, eldest son of the late Charles Frizell, Esq., J.P., Castlekevin, Co. Wicklow. Funeral Service Christ Church, Kingstown, Saturday, 10.15. No flowers, at his request.

HARPUR—January 14, 1920, at the Adelaide Hospital, J. William Henry Harpur, aged 62, beloved husband of Elizabeth Harpur, of 75 Albert rd., Sandycove. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral from Adelaide Hospital, 1.30 p.m., to-morrow (Friday), 16th.

KELLY GREHAN—January 14, 1920, at his residence, Lisbride, Roscommon, Walter Kelly Grehan. Funeral arrangements later.

L'ESTRANGE—January 14, 1920, at Kevinsfort, Sligo, Elizabeth Mary, second daughter of the late Christopher Carleton L'Estrange. Funeral to-morrow (Friday), at 12.15, from Kevinsfort.

LYNCH—January 13, 1920, at her residence, 38 Effra rd., Rathmines, Mary Helen, widow of the late William McCarthy Lynch, Registry of Deeds. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P. Funeral private.

McALEAVEY—January 13, 1920, suddenly, at his residence, South View, Earlswood rd., Belfast, Edward, the dearly-beloved husband of Maria McAleavey. Inserted by his sorrowing wife.

MURDOCH—January 14, 1920, at her residence, 2 Florence tce., Bray, Isabella, widow of the late Canon James C. Murdoch, formerly Rector of Enniscorthy.

REILLY—October 30, 1919, at Johannesburg, S.A., of pneumonia, J. A. Reilly, second son of the late J. Reilly, 7, Belgrave Park, Rathmines, and 4 College Green, Dublin.

REYNOLDS—January 13, 1920, at his residence, Guildford House, Tyrrellspass, Co. Westmeath, Michael Reynolds. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing family. R.I.P. Funeral from his residence to Kilcullen Cemetery this day at 2 p.m.

SHINE—January 13, 1920, at Whitworth Hospital, fortified by the rites of the R.C. Church, Christopher Shine, of 22 Raibdown rd. and East Arran st. Deeply regretted by his wife and family, father, mother, brothers, and sisters. Funeral from St. Michan's, Halston st., after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Friday).

TYRRELL—December 18, 1919, lost at sea, Captain John Tyrrell (Arklow), of the steamship Theory. Funeral to New Kilbride Cemetery this (Thursday) morning, January 15th, from Arklow ... What, though, in lonely grief I sigh, For friends beloved, no longer nigh.

WARD—January 13, 1920, at Maidstone, Isabella (Isa) Frances Ward, beloved wife of Dr. J. Ward, C.M.G., D.S.O.; dearly-loved daughter of the late H. Wilton, D.L., R.I.C., and of Mrs. Wilton, 29 Waterloo place.

WRAY—January 14, 1920, at her residence, Glenavy, Molesworth road, Cookstown, Katherine McCardy, widow of the late Rev. William Wray, M.A., Orritor, Cookstown, in her 87th year. Funeral private. No flowers, please. Canadian, Australian, and New Zealand papers, please copy.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The family of the late Mrs. Marion Armstrong, 15 Royse rd., Dublin, return their most sincere thanks for the many kind messages of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement.

Miss Holland, Rossmore, Rathgar, desires to return thanks for the messages of sympathy received on her recent bereavement.

Mr. Thomas Skehan, Upper Gladstone st., Clonmel, and family desire to express their grateful appreciation for the many kind messages of sympathy received by them in their recent bereavement, and trust this announcement will be accepted as sufficient acknowledgment, as the number of sympathetic communications received were too numerous to be dealt with individually.

IN MEMORIAM.

CUSHING—In loving memory of our dear Charlie, who died 15th January, 1919, at 23 Sandford av., S.C. rd. "He is safe in the arms of Jesus." Inserted by his father and mother.

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